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THEY DID BUSINESS.

County Board Adjourns After Transacting Much Important Business.

On Friday a resolution was introduced and adopted to appoint a committee of three, with the chairman, to advertise for plans and specifications for a new jail and sheriff's residence, and also for bids to construct the same, to be submitted at the next meeting. Three members will also be appointed annually hereafter, who shall meet on Wednesday preceding the annual meeting of the Board for the purpose of settling with the county officers, thereby materially shortening the regular session and dispatching business.

A resolution to appoint a committee on insane was adopted on Saturday. This committee shall visit the state institutions for the purpose of ascertaining the number of non-resident patients this county has been paying for, and to have the monies thus paid refunded to Portage county, and to see that they are charged to the counties or state to which they belong thereafter. Further, they shall ascertain where patients are able to pay for their own support, or have relatives who can support them, and refer these matters to the district attorney.

On Friday the special committee on the Lieberthal default case, reported recommending that the sum of \$50.00 be appropriated to the district attorney to pay expenses in prosecuting the boudsmen, unless the judgment of \$450 be satisfied within thirty days. Lieberthal, charged with collecting money and converting it to his own use, forfeited his bond one year ago when the case was called for trial. Wm. Loftis, Michael Riley, Peter Hanley, Henry Blair, John Hopkins, Jas. Dougherty and twenty-six other residents of Lanark protested against new road between sections 29 and 30 for the reason that there is a road on the west side of section line, which has been in existence for 21 years, and the laying out of a new road would require extra and unnecessary expense. This matter was referred to K. J. Lien, chairman of the committee on roads and bridges.

The town of Stockton will be divided, or in fact it will again cover practically the same territory that it did previous to several years ago. The matter of division was decided by the Board, Friday forenoon, the committee or county organization, J. S. Cowan, P. H. Sullivan, S. G. H. Crocker, John Petarski and Chris. Marchel, reporting in favor of the same and their recommendation was adopted. The south one-half of township 24 north, range 9 east will be detached and attached to Sharon, while sections 1, 12, 13, 20, 25 and 36 will be detached from Amherst and attached to Stockton, for all purposes, the change to take effect April 1st, 1896. This will place Stockton and Custer stations in the town of Sharon, both being just north of the township line, and Arnott will be the only remaining station or village in the town.

Yesterday the committee on equalization made their report to the board, but it did not seem to please all of the members, there being nine votes against accepting. These came from Supervisors Spraggan, Wallace, Vaughn, Lukaszewig and Redfield, of the city, Marschel of Hull, Duke of Linwood, Laughlin of Stockton, and Worzella of Stevens Point. The total valuation of all real and personal property in the county was reduced from \$3,743,404.12 in 1894, to \$3,644,145.50 at the present time, a total reduction of \$99,258.62. While this reduction was divided up between the city and some of the towns, there is an increase in others, and the report was consequently not satisfactory to all.

Amherst presented a bill of \$108.00 for feeding tramps during the past year, and Carson came in with a claim of \$22.63 for a like purpose. The committee on claims, however, reported that such bills are not a legal charge against the county, that the county does not pay for the board of tramps, and both claims were therefore disallowed.

The Board adjourned for the year at about three o'clock Tuesday afternoon, but before doing so rescinded a previous action in which some \$4,000 were to be appropriated for building bridges and making roads in a number of the towns of the county. Among these was a resolution to improve the Jordan road, by which the city was to provide \$200 and the town of Hull and the county at large a similar amount each. This much needed improvement met death with the balance of the collection. The committee on ways and means reported the tax levy for the year 1895 as follows:

State tax.....	\$11,071.01
County tax.....	36,441.45
County school tax.....	12,988.01
Road and bridge fund.....	57.00
Co. Supt.'s salary.....	1,000.00
Total.....	\$61,555.47

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Preferred Another.

Last Saturday was a lively day among our merchants, every store being crowded with customers from early to late, and in some stores at least the cash receipts were larger than in any one day in over a year. The merchants and clerks found it impossible to wait upon all customers who came, but there was one who did not wish to put them to any trouble, and so waited upon himself. He called at the store of I. Brill's Son, looked over their clothing stock, and taking off his old coat selected a new one from a fine \$17.00 suit. The fit was perfect, the quality satisfactory and style the latest. The fellow didn't stop to ask the price, but evidently thought a poor exchange was better than no exchange at all, for the merchant, and left his old coat upon the counter. It was found late in the afternoon when the clerks were re-arranging the stock, and now Mr. Brill is trying to find the man that left it.

CIRCUIT COURT CASES.

Matters That Have Been Settled Since the Last Issue of This Paper.

State vs. Andrew Hausen. Defendant charged with arson. A house in the town of Amherst, occupied by the Jennings family, was burned the middle of last month and the occupants narrowly escaped with their lives. The case occupied the attention of the court for three and one-half days, John H. Brennan and W. F. Owen appearing for the defense, and B. B. Park and F. B. Lamoreux for the state. Verdict of not guilty and asked for a jury trial. This was denied by the court. He then asked for a change of venue on the latter charge, and this was also denied. Both cases were then adjourned for three weeks, or until Dec. 13th.

The case of Sigmund Green vs. Adam Pulzinski, charged with assault and battery, came before the court at the same time, and this was also adjourned until Dec. 13th.

The case of Mrs. Clara Gilbert and her two daughters, known as "the twins," was called before Judge Murat, Saturday afternoon. Several witnesses were examined to prove the general reputation of the women, and the opinion was that their character was bad, very bad. The mother, who is a woman about 40 years of age, was then bound over for trial before the circuit court in bonds of \$500, in default of which she was remanded to jail. The evidence against her for keeping an immoral house is sufficiently strong to send her to Waupun, and she may decide to plead guilty, thereby lessening her punishment. The girls were fined \$25.00 and costs, or 60 days in the county jail, and not having the wherewithal, they will no doubt board at the expense of the county for the above period.

Commercial Bank Echoes.

On Friday next Judge Webb will listen to arguments setting forth both pro and con why A. G. Hamacker should remain in possession of a business block at Merrill, formerly owned by the Commercial bank, and why Emmons Burr as president, should make the transfer on the last day the bank was open, without the consent of the other directors. The deed was given to Mr. Hamacker in lieu of some \$5,000, which he had on deposit at the bank. This matter will be heard on the motion of Brennan, Synott & Frost, attorneys for Receiver Fiffner.

Some other matters or motions relative to the bank failure will probably come up at this term, but the main points will not be heard, as the experts have not yet finished their labors. Negotiations relative to a settlement with the depositors and stockholders have not yet been abandoned, and we understand it is not improbable that a satisfactory adjustment will be made.

Land, Money and Potatoes.

Real estate men say there is an unusual demand for money among the farmers of this and neighboring countries during the present season, and they are paying a higher rate of interest than they have in several years, 10 per cent. in many instances. At the same time money is scarce, the demand being greater than the supply. Considerable of the land in Portage county, over one-half so it is claimed, has been transferred on tax titles, and although mostly held by the present occupants on warranty deeds, capitalists from outside the state have a dread of loaning money on that kind of security, the laws in other states being less favorable to those who hold land which had ever been secured by tax deed. This fact has a tendency to make it more difficult to borrow money and to make interest higher.

Again our farmers went into the potato raising business more extensively last spring than ever, and farmers throughout the country where potatoes had never been raised before, seem to have taken the fever at the same time. The total acreage was several times as large as ever before, the crop was good, and as a consequence the supply is much greater than the demand, and prices are down to little or nothing. The potato belt, including Portage county, is a great sufferer, and many of our farmers are compelled to borrow that interest may be met and other debts paid.

"The agricultural papers throughout the country are responsible for the over-production of potatoes this year," said a gentleman the other day, "as they, with wonderful tenacity, kept urging the farmers to engage in potato raising, and every one of them took the advice at the same time."

Captured the Robber.

Mrs. A. R. Horn and Mrs. A. J. Van Valkenburg visited Chicago Monday, in which city they had an experience that was exciting, if not enjoyable. The day was spent about the great metropolis, and shortly before the time for departure they boarded the evening north bound Central. Walking through the sleeper and into the toilet room, the ladies were followed by a colored man, but supposing he was a porter, they gave him no attention. As they entered the toilet room the fellow was by their side, and Mrs. Van Valkenburg, whose courage never fails when it is needed the most, demanded what he wanted.

In the meantime both ladies had placed their purses on a stand, and the fellow answered, "these," at the same time making a dash for the money, which he secured and started for the door. His coat tails caught in the door, however, as he passed through, and were grabbed by Mrs. Van Valkenburg, who hung on while the thief dragged her the entire length of the car, and indeed this was no small task. As the fellow reached the platform he fell, dropping the purses, which were secured by Mrs. Van, while the bold thief regained his feet and was lost to vision, but not to memory.

CRIMINAL COURT CASES.

Those That Have Come Before Judge Murat During The Past Few Days.

The case against Louis Wiesner for assaulting Jas. Rice which was set for last Friday morning, came to a sudden and unexpected ending at the time, City Atty. Brennan deciding to dismiss the complaint, as well as to give up the official title he then held, owing to reasons he thought sufficient at the time. This action was quickly reconsidered, however, and on Saturday Wiesner was again arrested, this time on two charges, one for assault and battery and the other for carrying concealed weapons. Wiesner was arraigned before Judge Murat that afternoon, entered a plea of not guilty and asked for a jury trial. This was denied by the court. He then asked for a change of venue on the latter charge, and this was also denied. Both cases were then adjourned for three weeks, or until Dec. 13th.

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In the case of state vs. C. F. Cotsworth, of Junction City, charged with cruelty to animals, the defendant was found guilty and fined \$1.00 and costs of prosecution, or six months in the county jail. Cotsworth, who is known as the "honey man," accepted the latter penalty, and accompanied Sheriff Leahy to the stone quarters on the first floor of the county building.

Ole Bjorgfeld, a native of Norway, admitted to citizenship.

Geo. E. Bontier vs. Berbrand G. Chandon et al. Wood county case. Judgment of foreclosure and order confirming Sheriff's report of sale.

Joseph C. Adams vs. Isaac Chamison. Defendant moves for change of venue. Motion denied.

Emma Sawyer vs. Schuyler Sawyer. The parties live in Waupaca county. Judgment of divorce was granted.

S. A. Sherman vs. G. E. McDill. This case has occupied the attention of the court all this week, and as court will be held on Thanksgiving, it will be finished by Thursday noon or evening.

Fire on the Fair Grounds.

Barn No. 1, the largest and best horse stable on the fair grounds, was totally destroyed by fire last Monday morning. Shortly before 10 o'clock, Ed. Stitt, Claude Potter and Ed. McCarr were at work about the building, when Mr. Stitt discovered an odor of smoke and on investigation it was found that the north-west corner of the barn was burning. Realizing in an instant that the fire was beyond control, the men immediately turned their attention to liberating B. B. P. and four other valuable horses and also succeeded in saving nearly all the harnesses, robes, etc. About one ton of hay, a load of straw and twenty-five or thirty bushels of oats went up in smoke. Officers connected with the Fair Association at the time this barn was built say that it represented an outlay of fully \$1,000, being solidly and substantially put up. The building was insured for \$550, one-half being with Geo. E. Oster's agency and the other \$225 in Thos. Hyde's agency.

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ONE OF THE BEST.

The Union Scout is Witnessed by Large Audiences, and is a Success in All Respects.

Large audiences witnessed the military drama entitled, "The Union Scout, or Loyal Southerner," at the Grand Opera House, on Wednesday and Thursday evenings, and when the play was repeated on Friday evening, there was also a very good attendance. This play, which was written by Mr. M. G. Dillenback, was put upon the stage with home talent forming the cast of characters in less than ten days after his arrival here, and not only speaks well for that gentleman's ability as an instructor and manager, but is most creditable to each participant as well. Mr. Dillenback has followed this business for a number of years, travelling from city to city and state to state, and says that he never succeeded in getting together a better cast throughout than he did in Stevens Point, several of whom would do credit to professionals, and all took hold with a will from the moment their parts were assigned. He has written and staged a number of plays, but the Union Scout is his latest and best. Mr. Dillenback expects to spend most of the winter in Minnesota.

The part of the "heavy villain" Richmond Magruder, was taken by R. F. Baker, and although a most difficult character, was handled in an admirable manner. J. A. Ennor appeared as Dan Sanford, the Union Scout. Mr. Ennor cannot be rightly classed as an amateur, having "followed the stage" for some time, and whenever he appears before the footlights, always does well, as he did on this occasion. Too much praise cannot be given Miss Ethel Rogers, as Alice Stewart, the banker's daughter, and Mrs. W. E. West, as Mohitable, a happy country lass, whose patriotism was firmer than her love for Benny Simmons when the country was in danger. Both ladies showed much ability in their respective parts, and many comments have been bestowed upon them. Paul Roettger, as Carl Schmidt, a native of the Rhine, and L. C. Scribner, as Tim. O'Brien, a good specimen from the "ould sod," were firstclass, keeping the audience in the best of humor and bringing out many witty local hits that took well. Mr. Roettger was exceptionally good, and his part was natural throughout. J. W. Strope, C. M. Chamberlain, F. H. Taylor, Mr. Smith, Jas. Ballou, B. E. King, Guy Martin, Mr. Dillenback and Mrs. Addie Huber and Miss Gertie Chamberlain were all good, several of them assuming very difficult characters and playing them to perfection.

The entertainment was opened with the Columbian march and sword drill, in which twenty-four young misses took part, going through the evolutions in a very pretty and perfect manner. The several grand tableaux were no small part of the entertainment, and in each was presented historic or patriotic scenes dear to the heart of every loyal resident of this country.

The square drumming of little Johnnie Wollenschlager, the eight year old son of L. P. Wollenschlager, and the trumpet calls of Herman Kohorn, son of B. H. Kohorn, added much to make the scenes realistic and bring one back to the exciting days between '61 and '65. The entertainment was also a success financially, satisfactory alike to Mr. Dillenback and the Odd Fellows, under whose auspices the performances were given. Their entertainment fund for next June, when the Grand Lodge will visit Stevens Point, will now have a nucleus of about \$70.00, while Mr. Dillenback went away \$60.00 better off than when he came here.

That Rabbit Hunt.

The much talked of rabbit hunt took place as announced, and the German Hunting Club, Capt. Green in command, were the victims, the score standing 18 to 29 at the end of the day's sport. The boys all returned to the city on time, but rather weary and foot-sore. Rabbits were scarce, but perseverance and good marksmanship on the part of Capt. Reton's roving riflemen won the day. The weather was all that could be desired on the part of those who relish hunting, being clear and cool, and many good stories are told on both sides. An excellent game supper was provided by Bradley Wheelock when the victors and vanquished returned in the evening, all at the expense of the losing side, to which each and everyone, including a few invited friends, did full justice.

Something to Interest the Ladies.

Glover & Hanover have a full line of stamped linens in the latest designs. Pieces of each are started with the silk for finishing, at prices within the reach of all, and instructions are given free. Also a line of celluloid goods for holidays. Twenty-five per cent. reduction on trimmed hats.

Going to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord Macnish and little son will leave for Boston, Mass., this evening, where they expect to make their permanent home. Mrs. Macnish's father, M. V. Dustin, left for that place last evening, accompanying their household goods, and he will remain there also. Gaylord will be employed in the offices of the Kellar Lumber Co., having been offered and accepted a good position. Hundreds of friends of all those mentioned above will deeply regret their departure, but trust that their new home will be found pleasant and enjoyable.

Malitia Company.

Another movement is on foot to organize a military company among our young men, and those who have the matter in hand have already secured forty-six names. The prospects are that if a company is organized at once, they will be able to enter the state guards during the first part of the coming year. The move is a good one, and will no doubt be successful.

WEDDING BELLS.

They Have Been Jingling Merrily For Several Young People Well Known in This City and Vicinity.

KUJAWA-SPALENKA.

There was a pretty wedding at St. Peter's church, North Side, at 9 o'clock on Tuesday morning, and at which time a most worthy young couple pledged themselves to live as man and wife until death do part. The contracting parties were Alexander J. Kujawa and Miss Mary Anna Spalenka. Rev. Q. Zielinski adjusted the nuptial knot, and the groomsmen were Paul Pasternacki and Julian Borowski and the Misses Josephine Pasternacki and Anna Spalenka were bridesmaids. Stephen Worzala and John Lukaszewig acted as ushers at the church, and the ceremony was witnessed by several hundred friends of the young couple. Thereafter a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Spalenka, 800 Fourth avenue, and was attended by the relatives and a few of the most intimate friends of the contracting parties, lasting throughout the day and during the early evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kujawa will make their home with the bride's parents during the winter, to commence housekeeping in the early spring. The groom is a native Stevens Pointer, having been born just beyond the city limits, in the town of Hull, and is a bright, progressive and self-made young man, one whose future is certain to be crowned with success. He is bookkeeper and collector for the First National bank, a member of the Board of Education, and can be relied upon to be found upon the side of right and progression at all times. The bride has made Stevens Point her home for a dozen years, is the possessor of a good education, bright and pretty, and will prove a worthy help-mate. With many friends THE GAZETTE extends its congratulations.

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ions," said an old timer. "He turned furo-
bank or whatever was the handiest way at
the time to make a living, so it wasn't
manual labor. One day I met Old Duke at Rock Island as I was coming back from Iowa.

"'Got any money, son?' said Duke. He
always called me son.

"About \$150," I replied.

"Lend it to me, and I'll open a game
for 'em here," said Duke. "This town is a
sucker in the lump, and it's crazy to play
far back."

"So old Duke made up a bank roll of
\$300. He had cards and a deal box and
easily improvised a layout and was ready
for action. For chips he went over to a
dry goods store and bought a box of those
wooden button molds that they make over-
coat buttons with.

"Then old Duke Dodge turned loose.
The natives came a-running, and the way
they set in against the game reminded you
of a lot of turkeys around a peck of corn.

"The bank won from the jump, and
Duke was chuckling. As nearly as you
could guess the game was \$400 ahead at
the end of an hour.

"All at once Duke noticed an awful
thing. He called my attention to it. This
was the horrible phenomenon: While the
bank had won every big bet—for Duke
was a mighty careful dealer—and two-
thirds of the others, and while he had, as
he found on counting up, full twice as
many button molds as Duke ever did buy
to begin with, there was still over \$600
worth of button molds in the hands of the
Rock Island populace clamoring for ac-
tion. It was worse than a miracle; it was
a robbery.

"And Duke had to make 'em good; had
to cash every button mold of 'em. It broke
him flat, but the town would have killed
him if he'd remitted. There the game
had won for an hour, and yet he was
bankrupt when he got through settling.

"Those thieves had simply gone over to
the same store Duke did and bought out
the balance of the stock of button molds
and stood 'em against the game. They
even tried to play a stack of punts buttons
on the no open—one man did—but Duke
saw it in time and barred punts buttons.

"If I'd gone on and won another hour,
son," said Duke to me as we walked down
the railroad track after the game, "I'd
owed \$2,000. It's fortunate my luck
wasn't any better." —Washington Post

THE EVILS OF OVEREATING.

Unless Neutralized by Exercise High Feed-
ing Is Extremely Harmful.

I assert that it is the duty of the good
housewife to keep down the appetite of
her husband, writes the Rev. F. S. Root
in *The Ladies' Home Journal*. Particularly
is this necessary in the cases of well to
do professional and business men. In the
families of mechanics earning low wages
such warning is almost wholly unnecessary,
but it may be said of most men in
good circumstances that they eat too freely
of rich food. If men would begin careful
and systematic physical culture in early
youth and continue the practice through
life, good health would be the result.

Beyond the age of 40—at a period when
so many are physically lazy—the superior
value of exercise is apparent, but ordinarily
this is just the time when the hygiene of
athletes is neglected. There is no reason
why a punching bag, rowing machine,
pulley weights and other apparatus should
not be relegated to college boys and clerks.
But, having done a good deal of work in
his time, it is almost impossible to per-
suade a business or professional man turning
40 to give any sort of attention to
physical culture if such training has been
previously neglected.

Hence I say it is the duty of a woman
to keep from her husband all rich com-
pounds that will ultimately ruin his digestion.
High feeding is occasionally nou-
trified by hard exercise, but in the ab-
sence of the latter it is mischievous in the
extreme. If your husband will stand the
treatment, begin by switching off from
the heavy breakfast of steak, hot rolls, pota-
toes, etc., and set before him eggs on
toast, oatmeal and coffee.

Ancestors.

The search after ancestors inaugurated
by the Daughters of the Revolution and
Colonial Dames has developed strange re-
lations. A very high and mighty per-
sonage, in tracing out the various descend-
ants of a famous Revolutionary general,
whose collateral descendant she was proud
to declare herself, found that the direct
descendant ended in a poor charwoman whom
she had been in the habit of employing by
the day. It was a lucky find for the latter,
for her large hearted and generous connec-
tion, exemplifying the old adage that
blood is thicker than water, proved a veritable
Lady Bountiful to the family. She
educated the children, found a promising
opening for the son and pensioned off her
poor relation, whom the many reverses of
health and fortune had quite broken down.
It was a great good to arise from what
many deem a useless fad.

Mrs. A.'s experience was still less satis-
factory. Formerly a believer in the direct
transmission of character, she has changed
her ideas, since she found in her pedigree
a declared criminal, proving that in Amer-
ica it is not safe to place too much reliance
on one's ancestors.—New York Tribune.

"Shooting Stars" or Meteors.

When we get down to talking "shooting
stars," we begin to brush around in the
realm of something which all know some-
thing about—at least, a great deal more
than we do about supposed fiery lakes in
such gigantic worlds as Jupiter. While we
may think that we know all about shoot-
ing stars, the following will show that
they are myths in every branch of
knowledge which even the wisest among
the common herd know but very little
about.

For instance, Flammarion has an-
nounced that the visible number of shoot-
ing stars which go fizzing through the
upper strata of our atmosphere every 24
hours is not less than 7,500,000, and that
the telescopic meteors increase this num-
ber to 100,000,000! Professor Harkness,
making calculations on the same subject,
estimates the average weight of those so
called "burning stars" to be only one
grain. Herschel says that their average
height above the earth is something like
78 miles and that they disappear as soon
as they strike the dense portions of our
atmosphere.—St. Louis Republic.

Keep From the Grate.

During a thunderstorm, it is pointed
out, the inhabitants of houses should not
remain in the kitchen or other room where
a fire is burning in a grate, as the heated
gases from the chimney top provide a line
of least resistance, and this is so whether
the house be provided with lightning rods
or not.

WATCHES AND THEIR WEARERS.

Timepieces Said to Reflect the Tempora-
ments of Their Owners.

There appears to be some occult connection
between a watch and its owner. Else
why should a timepiece go at one speed on
one person and at a different one on another?
Read what a Washington jeweler
has to say about the matter:

"I used to have a friend who had an ex-
cellent Swiss watch, while I had one of
another make. By mutual consent at one
time we exchanged watches, and though
they had gone all right before they changed
their gait entirely, mine running five
minutes ahead in a couple of days and his
running five minutes behind. There was
then a difference of ten minutes."

"I remember a good many years ago I
had a man come to my place with an old
fashioned English lever silver watch to be
repaired. He had some very nice gold
watches in stock at the time, and as he
looked well off I tried to sell him one, but
he laughed and said if any of the gold
watches I had in the store would run 24
hours in his pocket he would give me twice
what I asked for it. He said he had tried
all sorts of gold watches and had never
been able to get one that would run while
he had it. He had experimented with his
brother's watch only a little while before,
he said, and it cost him \$8.50 to have it
demagnetized after he had carried it in his
pocket two days. Most silver watches
acted the same way with him, but the old
English watch he was carrying had a double
inside case to it and worked fairly well.

"I've never been able to tell whether the
average watch will run faster when it is
in its owner's possession or not. There
seems to be no rule on the subject, but I
can never regulate a watch on my swing-
board there and then give it to a customer
and have it keep good time. Then there is
a variation with a change of vitality. A
watch will ordinarily run slower the longer
it is carried after cleaning, because the oil
dries and the bearings are harder, but I
have had customers come to me and say
that their watches had started up and gone
to running time several months after they
had been cleaned. I just tell them that I
can't account for it except on a theory of
a change in their own vitality and tempera-
ture. It's one of those things that cannot
be explained, but it is true nevertheless."
—Home Journal

FITTING A JAPANESE ROOM.

Plainness, Simplicity and a Fusion of Ori-
ental With Occidental Ideas.

A Japanese room in an American house
does not mean so much the furnishing of
a certain limited amount of space with a
large collection of Japanese objects and
material as it does a perfect fusion of oriental
with occidental ideas, writes F. Schuyler Mathews in detailing and illus-
trating "A Japanese Room" in *The Ladies' Home Journal*.

A lot of Japanese things will not make the room they occupy
Japanese. Its whole arrangement and
character must undergo a complete change.
For instance, a chair is a thing quite foreign
to the oriental idea of a seat. There
are no chairs in Japan. Divan and stool
are both oriental and conform with our
ideas of comfortable seats. Indeed, they
often prove quite as luxurious as the conventional
American rocking chair.

Whatever is Japanese that will adapt itself
to the requirements of our American
civilization we may apply to our needs in
the furnishing of such a room. I do not
think that a plentiful supply of fans, lanterns,
vases, umbrellas and screens will
properly meet these requirements. A room
furnished in good taste must not look like
a museum. The Japanese room should
look like one we might see in a house in
Tokyo, the character of the furnishings of
which is marked by plainness and entire
simplicity. The less furniture we have in
the room the nearer Japanese it will be.

Some of us will think that because Japanese
things will not make the room they occupy
Japanese, it is a matter of Japanese expediency or cus-
tom not worth notice. If a Japanese room
does appear bare, it at least escapes every
hint of vulgarity. A table, two spacious
divans, two or three cushioned stools, a
cabinet, a vase stand, a window seat and a
chest of drawers are all that are requisite
for the complete furnishing of the room in
Japan.

Tear Pits of the Deer.

Both the poets and the prose writers of
imaginative or contemplative turn of mind
have often alluded to the tears shed by
stags and other wounded creatures of the
deer family. Shakespeare put it in this
way in describing the injured stag:

The big round tears
Coursed one another down his innocent nose
In piteous chase.

There is, of course, more poetry than
truth in these references to the actual shedding
of tears by members of the deer family,
yet it is a fact that such animals are
provided with a curious set of organs, the
action of which gives rise to the tear
shedding belief. The organ in question is
the lacrimal sinus, or "tear pit," which
is situated just below each eye. It is a kind
of closed cavity, capable of being
opened at the pleasure of its owner, and
which secretes a greasy, waxy fluid or very
disagreeable odor. When creatures provided
with this curious organ get hurt or
become enraged, it has the effect of softening
the waxy substance in the "tear pit,"
when so softened, it escapes as tears would
and flows down over the nose and face.

The uses of this queer set of so-called
lacrimal organs is not clearly understood
by the zoologists.—St. Louis Republic.

Young and Middle-Aged Men.

One day he wrote a letter to a friend,
who, after much pondering and squint-
ing, managed to decipher two or three words,
which made him think that his correspond-
ent must be Janin. He immediately started
for the writer's home at Paris.

"Ah, here you are!" exclaimed Janin
joyfully, as he welcomed him. "You have
read my letter?"

"Not at all," replied his friend, with a
smile. "I have received it and I've brought
it for you to read to me."

"Well," said Janin doubtfully, "I'll
try."

Janin was not malicious, but occasion-
ally he would say a severe thing, as if it
were wrung from him without his being
able to hold it back. One day a rich but
ill-natured man, who made bad havoc of
the French language, called upon Janin,
and began a tirade upon some trivial matter
in execrable French.

After listening politely for some time,
Janin at last replied to his visitor in Latin.

"What do you mean, M. Janin?"
demanded the man angrily. "I don't under-
stand you. I can't speak Latin."

"Try, sir, try!" cried the great critio.
"You could not speak it worse than you
do French." —Youth's Companion.

Cocoanuts.

The word cocoanut is derived from the
Portuguese "coco," meaning monkey, be-
cause the base resembles a monkey's face.
The tree was known to the people of Ceylon
as early as 100 B. C., the milk being used
by them for making cement. The cocoanut
is one of the most useful of plants—root,
trunk, leaf, sap and nut are made to yield
tribute to man. The fiber of the husk
furnishes excellent yarn and is preferred
to horsehair for stuffing beds, cushions
chairs and saddles. It is stronger and more
elastic than hemp. The Polynesians twist
small cords of this fiber, which serve in
the construction of houses and canoes
where Europeans would employ nails.
The green nuts are grated for medicinal
use. Grated cocoanut forms an ingredient
of the East Indian condiment curry. In
the Maldivian Islands, labor is usually paid
for in cocoanuts.—New York World.

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Passenger.....	7:40 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
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Passenger.....	4:35 p.m.	4:45 p.m.
CHICAGO AND MILWAUKEE		
Passenger.....	2:15 a.m.	2:20 a.m.
Passenger.....	3:45 a.m.	4:15 a.m.
Passenger.....	11:05 a.m.	1:15 p.m.
Passenger.....	8:05 p.m.	8:25 p.m.
Portage Division.		
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St. P. and Chip. Falls.....	5:10 p.m.	
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" " "	6:50 A.M.	
Arrive, " "	1:30 P.M.	
Passenger.....	11:45 A.M.	
TRAINS GOING SOUTH AND WEST.		
Leave, Passenger.....	10:35 A.M.	
" " "	3:45 P.M.	
Arrive, " "	7:45 A.M.	
Passenger.....	S. W. CHAMPION, GEN. SUPT.	

The Gazette.

SHANTYTOWN.

All the young people are busy skating.

Miss Dora Bentley is on the sick list.

E. B. Bentley is preparing to log this winter.

Elmer Patch preached in the school house, Sunday.

Eli Bentley has returned from his trip to Rhinelander.

Joe Maunders paid Shantytown a flying visit the other day.

Misses Anna and Maggie Lepinski are home from Rockford, Ill., on a visit.

PIKE LAKE.

Michael Kluck and family, of Sharon, visited with friends here, Sunday. Leo Wiesner, the horse dealer of your city, was trading horses here one day last week.

N. Eiden-Mitschen, of Ellis, was in this vicinity a few days last week, hunting and fishing.

The lake is frozen over and skating was fine for a few days, but the coming of snow spoiled the sport.

A number of hunters from Waupaca were hunting here with two dogs, but both of their animals got lost.

Joe Shelbrawski, of the town of Sharon, and Miss Frances Sobula, of this town, will get married Wednesday.

AMHERST JUNCTION.

The town of Amherst is now smaller by six square miles, having been cut down by the County Board to its original shape.

Miss Matilda Johnson's many young friends will be pleased to learn that she is slowly recovering from a long and serious illness.

Martin Koutson is now foreman in Newell Grover's livery stable, and Oscar Peterson general superintendent. Barn open night and day.

The Summitt House, under the new management, retains the same excellent reputation that it did under the former. The best that the market affords can always be found on the tables.

Thanksgiving day is near, and Martin Gordon says that if the Green Bay road passes into the hands of the C. & N. W. R. R. and that company will remove the scales from the center of some of the streets he will have something to be thankful for.

LANARK.

Quite a few of our young men have gone to the woods.

Charley O'Connell visited friends in this vicinity, Sunday.

We are glad to learn that J. Cooney, Jr., is able to be out again.

J. Osborn, of Waupaca, visited friends in our burg last week.

Miss Ella Clark, of your city, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. M. Hopkins.

Miss Aggie Leahy is teaching the young idea, two miles west of your city.

Ed. Lea is taking in the city, being one of the jurors chosen from this town.

Small parties seem to be the rage these times. The hotels are open again.

There is to be a grand ball at W. Ward's Hall, Thanksgiving eve. All are invited.

We are sorry to miss the bronco and master's frozen countenance westward bound any more.

We have been informed that one of the members of Camp 20 was lost in the forest last week. A liberal reward is offered for his corpse, dead or alive.

We understand that Fred. Lueht, one of our prosperous farmers, is about to take unto himself a wife. That is right, Fred.: the bird is all you lack.

PLOVER.

F. E. Halladay killed three deer on his hunting trip.

Columbia Council No. 9, J. O. U. A. M., meets every Tuesday night.

The ladies Aid Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. Eliza Hughes, next Wednesday Dec. 3d, afternoon and evening.

Andrew Chesley received a telephone message, last week, the death of his brother at Waupaca, and went down to attend the funeral.

The several secret societies of the village have been invited by the pastor of the M. E. church to attend divine service on Thanksgiving morning.

Do not forget the ball at G. A. R. Hall on Thanksgiving evening, by the Modern Woodmen. Lou. Johnson's full string band will furnish the music.

J. Jentsch, who recently died in your city, was a charter member of Plover Camp, No. 747, Modern Woodmen, and carried a policy of \$3,000, which will no doubt be settled at once.

Plover G. A. R., W. R. C. and S. V., with their families, will join in a social dinner, Thanksgiving day, at G. A. R. Hall. All old soldiers, whether members of the G. A. R. or not, are cordially invited to come and bring their families and dinner baskets, and join in a general good time.

JUNCTION CITY.

Emil Voyer spent Sunday here. Quite a heavy fall of snow, Monday. Carpenters are at work erecting the new depot.

Miss Maggie Russell went to Stevens Point, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Case, of Somers, are visiting friends here.

It is reported that Joe Russell can shoot partridges without seeing them.

Quite a number of our citizens attended circuit court at Stevens Point last week.

A young man claiming to be a news boy, was put off W. C. train No. 1, Friday last. He took the next train for Stevens Point and was arrested there. It appears he was trying to beat his way over the road.

KEENE.

Ed. Cooney, of Lanark, was a caller at Keene on Thursday last.

Mrs. W. M. Prescott, of Sioux Falls, South Dakota, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Shelburn, at this place.

Justice Mathewson's court is crowded with business now days, but Alva thinks that by holding evening sessions he may get time to shoe his own horses.

Parland has moved out of the Patten House and its owner, James Toppings, has moved in. We are glad to see good neighbors come into our neighborhood.

Eli P. Scribner is the happiest man in Portage county since the marriage of his oldest daughter to that rich young farmer, John Nesbitt, of Hancock. It would do you good to see the smile on his face.

AMHERST.

Peter Peterson is able to sit up.

After many days the old ladies on the red mill road can have a rest.

Antone A. Peterson, a former Amherst boy, is now employed in the Chicago electric works.

A. C. Peterson, who received severe injuries by being kicked by a colt, last week, lies in a critical condition.

John Swendson, who has been clerk for Hans Johnson & Son, in Jola, has gone to Green Bay to work at the same business.

Albert and Peter Peterson, who left for Abbyville, Ky., three weeks ago, got there safe, but say there are too many darkies for them to stay long.

A mysterious case of the first magnitude has been discovered near this place that needs investigation by some of the blond Pinkerton detectives who were so roundly scored by the Free county barrister.

The J. G. Adams vs. Isaac Chamison case, which is now on trial at Stevens Point, is attracting a good deal of attention from the fact that Mr. Chamison is one of our principal merchants whose honor and integrity has never been questioned by any of our business men, some of whom he has at times loaned \$200 to \$500 without asking for note or security of any kind.

Rev. Perry Miller, the new pastor of the Farwell avenue M. E. church, Milwaukee, comes of a family of ministers, his father and four of his brothers being preachers. Perry Miller is a native of Wisconsin, born at Lake Mills in 1855. He graduated from Lawrence University in 1882, and was admitted to the Wisconsin Conference the same year. He spent five months in traveling in Europe, in company with J. J. Nelson of this place and after his return delivered several lectures on the land of midnight sun. Since entering upon his active duties as a minister, he has served but three charges, remaining with each the full time allowed by the rules of the church. His first charge was at Antigo, when the limit was three years, and his second and third charges at Watpac and Marinette, under the five year limit. His brother, Webster Miller, formerly had a charge in the city of Stevens Point.

New Hack and Baggage Line.

Henry Lue is now the owner of a first class hack, together with baggage conveyance, and is prepared to carry passengers any hour of day or night, to and from all parts of the city, meeting all trains. Telephone No. 91, Ball & Neuman's livery.

Highest Cash Price.

When having hides, pelts or tallow for sale, farmers are requested to bring the same to J. C. Campbell, who pays the highest cash price for them. Office at the C. H. Bell harness shop.

MUST BE SOLD.

A burglar proof bank safe, with time lock and inside chest, a nest of 51 safety deposit boxes, large letter, file counter, desks and other fixtures. All must be sold at once.

Enquire of or address E. J. Pfiffner, receiver Commercial bank.

GRAND RAPIDS BEATEN.

The Stevens Point High School Eleven Wins a Foot Ball Game From the Rapids Team. Score, 20 to 0.

At the fair grounds, last Saturday, an eleven composed of Normalites and High School boys succeeded in defeating the Grand Rapids football eleven with a score of 20 to 0. Although the day opened in a promising manner, as it advanced a disagreeable north wind set in and the boys were destined to play under anything but pleasant circumstances. The gridiron being covered with a light snow, made the footing very uncertain, and also caused a few fumbles on the part of the backs. The game was called at 2:30, and Stevens Point having won the toss, placed her men in the west field, leaving Grand Rapids the ball for a kick-off. Williams raised the ball, which was caught by Cowan, and he being immediately downed, the teams lined up for work. Stevens Point played her half and end and during the scrimmage the ball was lost, but regained by Weaver, who, working his way and running low, managed to withdraw from the struggle and by a determined run of fifty yards scored the first touch-down. Time, three minutes. Holman kicked a goal. Score, Stevens Point 6, Grand Rapids 0. Grand Rapids again kicked off and Stevens Point securing the ball played the line smashes which proved very effective, and coupled with Holman's run, brought the home team dangerously near the opposite goal line. Here the visitors braced up and Ford breaking the Point interference, tackled Holman 2 yards back. But her line was too weak to endure and with a grand center smash the Point boys forced Weaver over the line for a second touch-down. Holman kicked goal just as time was called and the first half ended with a score of Stevens Point 12, Grand Rapids 0.

After some delay caused by the non-arrival of the Grand Rapids subs, the second half opened, Stevens Point having the kick-off. But the visitors did not play as though they meant it, and during the whole half were pushed about at the pleasure of the home team. Grand Rapids soon lost the ball, and the Point working a few line smashes as blinds, sent Holman around the end for the third touch-down, but he failed at goal. Score, Stevens Point 16, Grand Rapids 0.

During one of the scrimmages, Compton, the Rapids right end, was disabled and the question was settled by both he and Bradford withdrawing, so as to leave each team on an equal basis.

Grand Rapids again kicked off and the Point securing the ball played Pierce, Holman, Krems and Weaver for small and rapid gains, but in their hurry lost the ball on a fumble. The home team, however, held the Rapids for three downs, and again taking the ball forced Weaver over for the fourth touch-down just as time was called. Holman misses a goal, making the score for Stevens Point 20 and Grand Rapids 0. The line up was as follows:

STEVENS POINT. GRAND RAPIDS.

King.....right end.....Compton

Stoddard.....right tackle.....Bull

Cowan.....center.....Kollberg

Scribner.....left guard.....Hoening

Krems.....left tackle.....Menzel

Bradford.....left end.....Brill

Clark.....quarter.....Love

Pierce.....right half.....Podawitz

Holman.....fullback.....Ford

Weaver.....tall.....Wright

Pearce.....right end.....Ford, G. S.

Length of halves, twenty minutes.

Referee and umpire, Blencoe and La Vigne. Linesmen, Campbell, Everts.

The game was a good one and free from trouble of any kind, each side

playing football to win. The Rapids boys had somewhat the advantage in weight, but lacked team work and good hard training, and understood football as a science rather than an art. Their line was weak and continually gave way to the smashes made upon it, their only hope laying in their tackling and back plays. Weaver, Holman and Cowan did very good work for the home team, while Clark proved very steady at quarter. Of the visitors F. Ford and Podawitz might be specially mentioned, their tackling and running being very commendable.

The following patents were granted to Wisconsin inventors, as reported by Benedict & Morsell, Solicitors of Patents, 102 Wisconsin street, Milwaukee:

Nelson Barshaw, assgr., Lake Geneva, wire splicer: Henry B. Burns, assgr., Eau Claire, closure for fruit jars:

John Endres, South Milwaukee, (2 patents) window: Wm. D. Gray and H. C. Holthoff, Milwaukee, key for connecting shafts to other parts:

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HISTORY OF A WEEK.

THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS UP TO DATE

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers—The Accident Record.

Five persons were killed outright, one fatally injured and many others seriously hurt at the corner of Van Buren and Franklin streets, Chicago, Friday. Those killed were firemen. The financial loss will be in the neighborhood of \$400,000.

Labor unions of Chicago and suburbs united in an enthusiastic greeting to Eugene V. Debs on his arrival at that city after his release from jail at Woodstock, Ill. He made a speech in the evening to an immense audience.

Dun's trade review shows the business of the country to be in a fairly satisfactory condition.

The Des Moines-Rapids canal has been closed to navigation for the season.

Otto Troutman, of Parsons, Kan., was arrested on the charge of murdering his wife.

Thomas Kelley, a farm hand at Emington, Ill., was gored to death by an infuriated bull.

Elmer Frazer, of Peru, Ind., an employee of Brownell's planing mill, was crushed to death by a log.

William Hamilton, aged sixty, a veteran of the Civil War, was killed by a caving embankment at Emporia, Kan.

Russell Keys, a boy of Salem, Ill., while hunting with three companions, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun.

Mrs. M. H. McGrath, of Fulton, Ill., has been appointed official instructor in the unwritten work of the Rebekah degree, I. O. O. F.

Bud Bay was found guilty of murdering ex-Sheriff A. C. Crain at Ozark, Mo., and was given twenty-five years in the penitentiary.

Police at South Bend, Ind., have arrested Edward Fleming on suspicion of aiding in blowing a safe at Barnett Brothers' meat market Nov. 17.

Amanda Cody and Florence English were hanged at Warrenton, Ga., for the murder of the Cody woman's husband. Florence was a man.

The insurance laws codifying commission at Columbus, Ohio, heard arguments from representatives of the accident insurance business.

Ex-Priest Dominick Wagner has been released from jail at St. Joseph, Mo., all the remaining cases against him having been nolle prossed.

The directors of the Calumet and Hecla Mining company have declared a dividend of \$5 per share, payable Dec. 18 to stockholders of record Nov. 25.

H. A. Tucker, president of the Bank of Genesee, Idaho, was arrested on a charge of stealing the books of the bank from the vault and admitted to bail in the sum of \$1,000.

The foot and mouth disease has appeared among cattle in Brazil, and Secretary Carlisle has directed that the regulations for the disinfection of hides be applied to the hides of meat cattle originated in any part of South America.

The Lutheran conference of Northwestern Kansas closed a three days' session at Minneapolis. Western Kansas churches were reported as needing much assistance.

The Thomas Bradshaw Shoe company with a capital of \$25,000, has been incorporated at Turner, Ill. Operations will be commenced Feb. 1 and 100 persons will be employed.

The Southern Illinois Medical association closed a two days' session at Anna. Specialists from Chicago read papers and performed surgical operations before the delegates.

The Iowa Horticultural society meets at Hampton Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and arrangements are complete for one of the best meetings the society has ever held.

Mrs. Boyd sued a saloon-keeper at Casey, Ill., for causing her husband's death, and the jury disagreed. The case will be tried again, and if the woman wins, other suits will be commenced.

Rev. A. R. Bickenback, of Lyons Iowa, has been installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Dixon Iowa. The services were conducted by Rev. F. S. Arnold, of Fulton, Ill.; Rev. A. M. Carter, of Sterling, Rev. W. S. Marquis, of Rock Island, and Rev. J. W. Skinner, of Morrison.

The Fertilizers Manufacturers' association at Nashville, Tenn., elected officers as follows: President, A. T. Whitman, secretary of the Northwestern Fertilizer company of Chicago; vice president, W. C. Sadler, secretary of the National Fertilizer company, Nashville; secretary and treasurer, H. B. Hinckman, secretary of the Loudonbach Fertilizer company, Urbana, Ohio.

While hunting ducks on the Wisconsin river at Boscombe, Fred Renshaw was accidentally shot in the back by Peter Welley and will die.

The Coles county grand jury adjourned at Charleston, Ill., after a two weeks' session. One hundred and nineteen indictments were found.

Hildred Hibbard and Lato, three of the lads implicated in the wrecking of the New York Central train near Rome N. Y., Tuesday morning, have made a full confession. Bristol, the fourth of the gang, denies his guilt. They will be put on trial for murder in the first degree.

John W. Poole, 22 years old, committed suicide at Moline, Ill.

Ivan Koley, a Russian nihilist, who escaped from Siberia about two years ago, was found guilty of murder in the first degree, in San Francisco, for the killing of F. L. H. Weber and wife last December.

CASUALTIES.

By the explosion of a lamp at Ottawa, Ill., Mrs. Catherine Mahew, an aged Frenchwoman, was cremated and her house destroyed.

Hawley's block in Danbury, Conn., was destroyed by fire, many of the tenants narrowly escaping death. The loss is \$100,000.

Fire consumed eight-story manufacturing building on the corner of Canal and Jackson streets, Chicago, Wednesday night. The building was occupied by twenty firms, who all suffered a total loss of their plants. Financial loss will be over \$600,000.

James Cochran, of Moweaqua, Ill., aged 17, died from injuries received while wrestling with his brother.

Fire at Lowell, Mass., destroyed a five-story block in the center of the city, causing a loss of at least \$350,000.

Forest fires are raging on the Little Kanawha, near Parkersburg, W. Va. Large tracts of woods and barns and fencing have been burned.

At Union Springs, Ala., a passenger train ran into an open switch and struck two loaded freight cars. The engine and freight cars were demolished, while Fireman Morris was killed and Engineer Lawrence was badly burned.

While attempting to jump from a moving Santa Fe train at Strong City, Kan., J. E. Smith, a well-to-do farmer, formerly of Chicago, was struck by a burning bull.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

In the United States circuit court at Syracuse, N. Y., the jury in the case of the Atlas Knitting company of Amsterdam, N. Y., against Abraham Hart and others of Chicago, returned a verdict of \$9,073.34 in favor of the plaintiffs.

The first case in Michigan under the new compulsory school law came up in St. Clair, when two parents were fined \$5 each for refusing to send to school their daughters.

Robert B. Fort, of Bacon, Ill., will enter the race for republican nominee for senator from his district. He is the only son of the late Colonel Fort, former congressman from this district.

The committee appointed by the national conference of the Free Mission church to try Rev. Mr. Davis, of Minneapolis, on charges preferred by Professor Crineel, has decided to drop the case.

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TURKEY'S RULER BREAKS FAITH WITH THE POWERS.

Bahri Pasha, the instigator of many atrocities, appointed military commander in Aleppo—Fears That He Will Renew the Massacres.

Constantinople, Nov. 22.—Matters do not look as bright here as they did yesterday. The professed determination of the sultan to act energetically in suppressing the disorders in Asia Minor had a decidedly good effect here and elsewhere, and the troubles which threatened to cause the disruption of the Turkish government were looked upon as almost ended. But a further jarring has occurred, and it is once more Bahri Pasha who is the disturbing element. This notorious official made himself so conspicuous by his cruelty to Armenians and maladministration of his district when Governor of Van that the British ambassador, Sir Philip Currie, insisted upon his removal. After considerable correspondence on the subject, and plain evidence of the pasha's unfitness for his position having been furnished to the sultan, the latter removed the pasha. Bahri, however brought the strongest influence to bear upon Abdul Hamid, protested his innocence of the charges brought against him, claimed that his removal was brought about by the intrigues of the Armenians and eventually he was not only forgiven, but was decorated with the Order of the Osmanieh and complimented upon his efforts to suppress disorder.

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WHERE IS HARRY STERLING?

The Young Man Mysteriously Disappeared from Kansas City.

Harry H. Sterling, son of F. P. Sterling, of Helena, Mont., is missing. He had been in the employ of the Union National bank of Kansas City until Oct. 30, the date of his disappearance. He had served the bank in the capacity of remittance clerk, and is a nephew of Vice President Rosenkrans. On Oct. 15 he was given two weeks' leave of absence, returning Oct. 30. He called at the bank on the evening of that day and said that he would be ready to go on duty in the morning. That night he got a check cashed in a cigar store and has not been seen in Kansas City since. It is supposed that he took a train for Chicago or some other point. Officials of the bank say Sterling's accounts have been found perfectly correct and they attach no dishonest motive to his disappearance. He was last seen Wednesday, Oct. 30. Sterling is 24 years old, of medium height, with slight mustache, dark hair and eyes. His parents are greatly grieved over his mysterious absence and have employed the Pinkerton detective agencies to look him up.

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Queer Address.
The postal authorities at New York forwarded a letter to Chicago which caused considerable amusement in the postoffice. It had been mailed at Stamboul, Turkey, and was addressed "To My Heavenly Father, U. S. A., Holy, Holy, Holy, Washington."

"We cannot find the address here," said Superintendent Montgomery. "We are obliged, however, to New York in thinking that this was his nearest address. It shows that New York's opinion of Chicago has improved."

The letter was forwarded to Washington.

IT BEATS THEM ALL.

Twenty-four Hours Chicago to Atlanta.
The popular Big Four Route has, in connection with the Queen & Crescent and Southern railway, established a fast schedule between Chicago and Atlanta, leaving Chicago 12 o'clock, noon, and arriving in Atlanta at 12 o'clock, noon, the next day. This is by far the best and quickest time from Chicago and the northwest to Atlanta and the south. Send for time card, rates, etc., to J. C. Tucker, G. P. A., 234 Clark street, Chicago.

A Flourishing Industry.
Friend—How are you getting along now? Sharpfello—First-rate. Making money hand over fist. "Indeed! You told me some time ago that your trade no longer paid living wages." "Well, it doesn't." "Then how do you make so much money?" "Teaching others my trade."

Great Reduction in Time to California.
Once more the North-Western line has reduced the time of its trans-continental trains, and the journey from Chicago to California via this popular route is now made in the marvelously short time of three days. Palace drawing-room sleeping cars leave Chicago daily, and run through to San Francisco and Los Angeles without change, and all meals en route are served in dining cars. Daily tourist sleeping car service is also maintained by this line between Chicago and San Francisco and Los Angeles, completely equipped berths in upholstered tourist sleepers being furnished at a cost of only \$6.00 each from Chicago to the Pacific coast. Through trains leave Chicago for California at 6:00 p. m. and 10:45 p. m. daily, after arrival of trains of connecting lines from the East and South.

For detailed information concerning rates, routes, etc., apply to ticket agents of connecting lines or address W. B. Kniskern, G. P. & T. A., Chicago.

Decorated with Apples.
Leavenworth, Kas., recently experienced its first apple carnival celebration. Every building and store front down town was gorgeously decorated with apples of all sizes and colors and the carnival colors, red, yellow and green, were conspicuous everywhere.

Atlanta and the South.
The Chicago and Eastern Illinois R. R. will during the time of the Exposition at Atlanta, Sept. 18, to Dec. 31, 1895, offer exceptionally fine service between Chicago and the South. A low rate ticket will be sold, and through cars run to all southern points. This is 65 miles the shortest route to Atlanta, Chattanooga and the South.

For guide to Atlanta and the Exposition address C. W. Humphrey, Northwestern Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., or City Ticket Office, No. 230 Clark St., Chicago. Charles L. Stone, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

Trips Over Jordan.
A woman evangelist is so eloquent in her preaching at Rexville, Ind., that somebody has the "power" every night, and on awakening describes the glories of heaven. The preacheress occasionally takes a trip to the shining shore herself.

Home Seekers' Excursion.

The Iron Mountain Route takes pleasure in announcing three home seekers' excursions to the great states of Arkansas and Texas, also to Lake Charles, La. The dates are Nov. 13, 27, and Dec. 11 and the rate will be one fare for the round trip, plus \$2, good to return any Tuesday or Friday up to and including Dec. 31. Stop over privileged south of Poplar Bluff, Mo. For information, land maps and descriptive pamphlets of Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana, call on or address Bissell Wilson, D. P. A., 111 Adams street, Chicago.

From Now Until Spring.
Overcoats and winter wraps will be in fashion. They can be discarded, temporarily, while traveling in the steam heated trains of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. For solid comfort, for speed and for safety, no other line can compare with this great railway of the West.

Here's a New Man Now.
Franklin M. Harrison, of Des Moines, Iowa, is suing his wife for divorce and \$5,000 alimony. He says she took all his money to pay off incumbrances on her own property and now refuses to support him.

The German emperor is multiplying his musical compositions, and before long an album of songs written by him is to be published.

THE BOARDING HOUSE.

It is No Place in Which to Bring Up Your Children.

A dainty little mother, with a daughter not much smaller than herself, the other evening was bewailing the fact that just at present she was compelled to live in a boarding-house. Some surprise was expressed at such a statement coming from one whose quarters were located in one of the most aristocratic boarding-houses in Chicago, where the food, both as to quantity and quality, was unexceptionable. "Oh, yes," she said, "the food's all right, and I could not honestly find fault with the neighborhood, but the life itself will be the ruin of Dorothy," meaning the little daughter before mentioned. "Oh, it is something dreadful," she pathetically continued, "she is getting so horribly precocious and there is no way to prevent it. You see, every morning after breakfast there is a gathering of the clans in some one woman's room and there, over embroidery or the feeble week's mending that they dignify as work, they all talk scandal and gossip on topics that no child should be allowed to hear, and all the time there sits that baby of mine on the floor not half as interested in the doll which she is supposed to be playing with as she is with the conversation going on between those idle adults. As a result, she comes out with the strangest remarks, which are applauded by the women as cute and smart; she isn't like a baby, she is like an old woman, and I sometimes lie awake at night wondering what her future will be with no childhood memories of her own home, her own kitchen and the thousand and one little pleasures that a child can only enjoy under the roof-tree of its parents. Think of it—she will never know the joy of making little cakes from the leftover bits of bread dough; she will never know what it means to have a real, old-fashioned candy-pull. All that she will have as a recollection of her childhood will be the remembrance of those idle women talking about other people's concerns or their own bodily ailments."

PRINCESS VICTORIA.

The Heroine of a Romance Who Lately Passed Away.

The heroine of romance in real life has just died. This was Princess Victoria of Capua, daughter of the brother of the king of Naples. A very handsome woman of the Amazonian type, she lived alone for many years in her chateau near Lucca, her one hobby and object in life being the breaking in of wild horses. The peasants of the neighborhood used to call her Diana. She would drive a four-in-hand of half-broken animals through the most rugged mountain passes with a resolution which astonished all who met her. Equally strange is the story of her birth. Her mother was a beautiful Irish girl who, having attracted the love of the heir presumptive of the throne of Naples, accepted his hand, but refused to live at court because his family denied her the privileges of her new rank. So the pair retired into obscurity and lived on the revenues of the prince's estate. She had only two children—the princess whose death is just announced and a son who became insane owing to hatred of women. So fixed was his delusion and so fierce did he become if a woman came near him, or was visible from the castle windows that the walls had to be built up to an extraordinary height, thereby shutting out all view of the outside world.

Treatment of Blackheads.
To prevent blackheads one must have a good digestion, be scrupulously clean and take plenty of exercise. To cure them once they have appeared is a matter requiring time and patience. The face must be cleansed and softened with cold cream and the pores must be opened by a face steaming. When this cannot be taken at a beautifying establishment it may be taken at home over a basin of boiling water, with a Turkish towel encircling the head and the basin. After the steaming the face should be gently pressed to force the blackhead out, but if it does not come out easily the trial must be abandoned for that day. More cold cream must be applied. After two or three such treatments a blackhead of ordinary obstinacy may be pressed out. Tincture of benzoin is admirable for its softening and tightening qualities. Its constant use will reduce enlarged pores to a normal size, and will keep wrinkles from getting much headway.

Lady Lytton Appointed by the Queen.
The late Owen Meredith was yet another example of the folly of a literary man's engaging in any sort of speculation. He died almost penniless, which was the more curious when one remembers what he must have made not only with his pen but by his political appointments, and what large amounts his father's prolific brain must have bequeathed to this only child of his. The Queen has appointed the Countess of Lytton Lady of the Bedchamber in Waiting, to the relief of all that unfortunate person's friends, who were most anxious as to her future, thus left unprovided for.

Yes, We're Queer Sometimes.
Strange things occasionally happen where they are not looked for. A stray horse was arrested in Chicago Monday booked as a vagrant, given a jury trial and a fine of \$15 was imposed. The horse, not having \$15 in his inside pocket, was sent to the city pound.

Here's a New Man Now.
Franklin M. Harrison, of Des Moines, Iowa, is suing his wife for divorce and \$5,000 alimony. He says she took all his money to pay off incumbrances on her own property and now refuses to support him.

The German emperor is multiplying his musical compositions, and before long an album of songs written by him is to be published.

From Now Until Spring.
Overcoats and winter wraps will be in fashion. They can be discarded, temporarily, while traveling in the steam heated trains of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. For solid comfort, for speed and for safety, no other line can compare with this great railway of the West.

Low Wallace's Energetic Wife.
Mrs. Lew Wallace, like many another wife of a man of letters, has been the shield between her husband and the thousand small annoyances of the every day world. She has served as a constant spur to her husband in his literary work, and her pride in his genius and desire that he should make the most of it have impelled her to urge him on when he might otherwise have halted for a space. The same energetic spirit has always been carried into every detail of her life. Procre-

WOMAN AND HOME.

GOOD CURRENT READING FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS.

Some Notes of the Up-to-Date Fashions
—A Simple Crepe—Growth of the Fur Cape—Low Wallace's Energetic Wife—Household Hints.

IBBONS play no small part in the bedecking of the half-mourning frock, for dressy occasions. Broad ribbons of the softest surah are shown in both black and white, and are arranged on the frock in sash effect. An

exceedingly smart gown of black and silk grenadine, made over black satin, has decorations of white surah run through slides of jet set with tiny pearls. The skirt is a very gracefully cut affair, the stiffness of the satin and the grenadine making it stand out in the smartest sort of way. The bodice is plain and seamless, the thin outside setting smoothly over the fitted underlining. The sleeves are in the bishop style, and stand out stiffly down to the waist. The bodice has a dainty arrangement of white surah ribbons brought from the low-cut shoulders through a pearl-set slide across the bust, through another slide, thence to the waist, where the ends fall half way down the skirt, finished by a full bow. A wide stock of the ribbon, with an immense bow at the back, finishes the costume. A gown of soft white wool is

Growth of the Fur Cape.

It was only a few years ago the fur capes came into vogue, and were nothing more than a mere shoulder covering, shapeless, and with what now seems to us a horribly dowdy air; yet they were received with open arms, and were considered the most fetching things ever worn. Every season saw something added to the fur cape. First came the little tilt at the shoulders,



COSTUMES FOR YOUNG GIRLS.

treated in the same manner, substituting soft black surah ribbons for the white.

A Simple Crepe.

When one is in semi-mourning, and especially when one is young, one may occasionally attend a quiet little tea or evening gathering, when the affair is not too dressy. White is, of course, the second mourning color, so also is violet, in all the shades, and these are often employed in making up smart semi-dress frocks. A very pretty one to be worn soon by a young girl who has just laid aside "deep mourning" is a combination of silk, white crepe, black velvet and jet. The skirt is a widely spreading affair, fluffed over the body skirt, of heavy white silk. It hangs in great godets all around the form, and is ornamented at the front by a deep border of jet, separated by rows of black velvet ribbon.

The bodice is half low, just showing a bit of the throat, and is made of Lyons velvet in jet black, fitted smoothly and fastened under the left arm. It comes a trifle below the waist, ending in sharp points, both back and front. The sleeves are huge balloon affairs, coming to the elbow, and are of crepe lissover white silk, all studded with the jet sequins. A deep ruff of velvet-bordered crepe falls from the elbow over the half length black suede gloves. Altogether, the frock is very simple, but wonderfully striking, owing to the ex-

at the shoulders, and ornamented in various ways with a contrasting fur, small heads of beasts, tails or rich lace. The cape of the present is as modish a wrap as a dainty woman can wear, and, aside from its mere beauty, is wonderfully comfortable and proof against the winds, however chill. In keeping with the richness of the outside linings are exquisite Brocades are used in abundance, in tints to harmonize with the fur. A rich chinchilla cape has a lining of pearl gray satin brocaded with scarlet in a straggling fashion. The linings for ermine capes are especially lovely, in delicate color, mostly in soft yellows, blues or rose pinks. Those so fashionable brown satin linings are very seldom seen nowadays even in the sealskin coats. A band of ribbon, embroidered with the name of the owner, is a pretty way of individualizing the cloaks.

Housekeeping Hints.

When grease is spilled on the kitchen floor cold water should be poured over it immediately; the grease will then harden and can easily be scraped away when firm. If it is not treated in this fashion it sinks into the floor and repeated scrubbing fail to remove it. While this is true for grease, it does not do with oils.

Turpentine is the best friend housekeepers have, and a supply should always be kept on hand. It is good for burns, excellent for corns, good for rheumatism and sore throat and a quick remedy for fits and convulsions. It is a sure preventative against moths, a few drops rendering garments safe from such invasions during the summer. It drives ants and bugs from storerooms and corners by putting a few drops on the shelves. It effectively destroys bugs and injures neither furniture nor clothing. For cleaning paint add a spoonful to a pail of warm water. A little in the suds on washday makes washing easier.

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TWO QUEENS' BIRTHDAYS.

Queens of Denmark and Holland Celebrate Their Natal Days.

Cincinnati Commercial Gazette:

Two queens celebrated their birthdays recently, and they had pleasures unlike those of mortals more lowly, only the presents were finer. The queen of Denmark completed, on the 7th inst., her seventy-eighth year. The queen received early the congratulations from the royal family and their guests. The king gave the queen a charming antique bureau, the dowager empress of Russia gave her mother a bracelet set with diamonds and pearls, the princess of Wales, the king and queen of Greece, the czarowitz, and the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Alexander Mikhailowitch all gave her majesty jewelry; the crown prince and crown princess of Denmark sent a gilt basket filled with roses and heliotrope, and from Prince and Princess Waldemar the queen received a painting. The younger princes and princesses sent flowers. At 12:30 o'clock the crown prince and princess of Denmark arrived, and shortly afterward the queen held a reception in the garden apartment. In the afternoon the queen of Denmark, the king and queen of Greece, and the princess of Wales went for a long drive, while the king of Denmark and the dowager empress of Russia walked out. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock, the king of Greece proposing the health of the queen. The queen of Holland completed her fifteenth year on the same day. All the peasants were in their best attire, and there was merry-making of all kinds. The young queen conferred on a number of persons orders and honors of various kinds.

\$100 Reward, \$100.

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Gen. Saussier.

General Saussier, who would command the French army in case of war, is past seventy years, an age at which an American commander-in-chief would have been long retired, but still a robust and clear-headed man of affairs. He is a soldier of unusual stature, and at present he is the military governor of Paris.

The especial attention of our readers is called to the notice in this paper "Free Fare to Texas." It offers a grand opportunity to secure a home in the garden of prosperous Texas. Read it for further information.

Out west they have tornadoes and Eli Perkins, while here in the east we have strawberries and baseball. Move east, you young man.—Texas Siftings.

I could not get along without Piso's Cure for Consumption. It always cures—Mrs. E. C. Moultron, Needham, Mass., Oct. 22, '94.

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HISTORY OF A WEEK.

THE NEWS OF SEVEN DAYS UP TO DATE.

Political, Religious, Social and Criminal Doings of the Whole World Carefully Condensed for Our Readers—The Accident Record.

Five persons were killed outright, one fatally injured and many others seriously hurt at the corner of Van Buren and Franklin streets, Chicago, Friday. Those killed were firemen. The financial loss will be in the neighborhood of \$400,000.

Labor unions of Chicago and suburbs united in an enthusiastic greeting to Eugene V. Debs on his arrival at that city after his release from jail at Woodstock, Ill. He made a speech in the evening to an immense audience.

Dun's trade review shows the business of the country to be in a fairly satisfactory condition.

The Des Moines-Rapids canal has been closed to navigation for the season.

Otto Troutman, of Parsons, Kan., was arrested on the charge of murdering his wife.

Thomas Kelley, a farm hand at Elkhorn, Ill., was gored to death by an infuriated bull.

Elmer Frazer, of Peru, Ind., an employee of Brownell's planing mill, was crushed to death by a log.

William Hamilton, aged sixty, a veteran of the Civil War, was killed by a caving embankment at Emporia, Kan.

Russell Keys, a boy of Salem, Ill., while hunting with three companions, was killed by the accidental discharge of a gun.

Mrs. M. H. McGrath, of Fulton, Ill., has been appointed official instructor in the unwritten work of the Rebekah degree, I. O. O. F.

Bud Bay was found guilty of murdering ex-Sheriff A. C. Crain at Ozark, Mo., and was given twenty-five years in the penitentiary.

Police at South Bend, Ind., have arrested Edward Fleming on suspicion of aiding in blowing a safe at Barnett Brothers' meat market Nov. 17.

Amanda Cody and Florence English were hanged at Warrenton, Ga., for the murder of the Cody woman's husband. Florence was a man.

The insurance laws codifying commission at Columbus, Ohio, heard arguments from representatives of the accident insurance business.

Ex-Priest Dominick Wagner has been released from jail at St. Joseph, Mo., all the remaining cases against him having been nolle prossed.

The directors of the Calumet and Heckla Mining company have declared a dividend of \$5 per share, payable Dec. 18 to stockholders of record Nov. 25.

H. A. Tucker, president of the Bank of Genesee, Idaho, was arrested on a charge of stealing the books of the bank from the vault and admitted to bail in the sum of \$1,000.

The foot and mouth disease has appeared among cattle in Brazil, and Secretary Carlisle has directed that the regulations for the disinfection of hides be applied to the hides of meat cattle originated in any part of South America.

The Lutheran conference of Northwestern Kansas closed a three days' session at Minneapolis. Western Kansas churches were reported as needing much assistance.

The Thomas Bradshaw Shoe company with a capital of \$25,000, has been incorporated at Turner, Ill. Operations will be commenced Feb. 1 and 100 persons will be employed.

The Southern Illinois Medical association closed a two days' session at Anna. Specialists from Chicago read papers and performed surgical operations before the delegates.

The Iowa Horticultural society meets at Hampton Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and arrangements are complete for one of the best meetings the society has ever held.

Mrs. Boyd sued a saloon-keeper at Casey, Ill., for causing her husband's death, and the jury disagreed. The case will be tried again, and if the woman wins, other suits will be commenced.

Rev. A. R. Bickenback, of Lyons, Iowa, has been installed as pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Dixon, Iowa. The services were conducted by Rev. F. S. Arnold, of Fulton, Ill.; Rev. A. M. Carter, of Sterling; Rev. W. S. Marquis, of Rock Island, and Rev. J. W. Skinner, of Morrison.

The Fertilizers Manufacturers' association at Nashville, Tenn., elected officers as follows: President, A. T. Whitman, secretary of the Northwestern Fertilizer company of Chicago; vice-president, W. C. Sadler, secretary of the National Fertilizer company, Nashville; secretary and treasurer, H. B. Hinckman, secretary of the Loudonbach Ferrier company, Urbana, Ohio.

While hunting ducks on the Wisconsin river at Boscochel Fred Renshaw was accidentally shot in the back by Peter Welley and will die.

The Coles county grand jury adjourned at Charleston, Ill., after a two weeks' session. One hundred and nineteen indictments were found.

Hildreth, Hibbard and Lato, three of the lads implicated in the wrecking of the New York Central train near Rome, N. Y., Tuesday morning, have made a full confession. Bristol, the fourth of the gang, denies his guilt. They will be put on trial for murder in the first degree.

John W. Poole, 22 years old, committed suicide at Moline, Ill.

Ivan Koley, a Russian nihilist, who escaped from Siberia about two years ago, was found guilty of murder in the first degree, in San Francisco, for the killing of F. L. H. Weber and wife last December.

CASUALTIES.

By the explosion of a lamp at Ottawa, Ill., Mrs. Catherine Mahew, an aged Frenchwoman, was cremated and her house destroyed.

Hawley's block in Danbury, Conn., was destroyed by fire, many of the tenants narrowly escaping death. The loss is \$100,000.

Fire consumed eight-story manufacturing building on the corner of Canal and Jackson streets, Chicago, Wednesday night. The building was occupied by twenty firms, who all suffered a total loss of their plants. Financial loss will be over \$600,000.

James Cochran, of Moweaqua, Ill., aged 17, died from injuries received while wrestling with his brother.

Fire at Lowell, Mass., destroyed a five-story block in the center of the city, causing a loss of at least \$350,000.

Forest fires are raging on the Little Kanawha, near Parkersburg, W. Va. Large tracts of woods and barns and fencing have been burned.

At Union Springs, Ala., a passenger train ran into an open switch and struck two loaded freight cars. The engine and freight cars were demolished, while Fireman Morris was killed and Engineer Lawrence was badly burned.

While attempting to jump from a moving Santa Fe train at Strong City, Kan., J. E. Smith, a well-to-do farmer, formerly of Chicago, was struck by a water crane and killed.

A north-bound passenger train on the Big Four road ran into three cars loaded with piling near Marshall, Ill. The engine was demolished and several cars badly damaged.

Dr. D. H. Hammond, a prominent physician of Grandview, near Rockport, Ind., was killed in a runaway.

A heavy electric motor car containing nineteen passengers went through the draw bridge of the central viaduct at Cleveland, O., at 7:45 o'clock Saturday evening and dropped 101 feet to the river below. Fifteen of the bodies have been recovered.

Charles Bierce died at Flora, Ill., as the result of injuries sustained in a railway accident at Iola. His remains were taken to Assumption for interment.

FOREIGN.

Thursday was Thanksgiving Day in Canada. It was so appointed by a proclamation by the governor general. Although set apart as a day for thanking Providence for a bountiful harvest, it is generally observed as a holiday.

The Sultan of Turkey has promised to personally superintend the work of reform in Armenia.

CRIME.

The jury in the United States court at Auburn, N. Y., found Mrs. Mary T. McMillen, alias Mrs. Mack, guilty of counterfeiting postage stamps. She was sentenced to year and a half in the penitentiary.

Atchison, Kan., is being flooded with \$1 bills raised to \$10. The specimens are almost perfect, and the bills have been successfully passed both there and at Leavenworth.

John West, of Ottumwa, Iowa, fearing he would not recover from typhoid fever, shot himself. His wife, who was convalescing from typhoid, is likely to die from the shock.

Thomas Dempsey, who drove his buck in front of a train at Manitowoc, Wis., causing the death of Andrew Webbin, has been held for trial in bonds of \$500.

Judge Gaffy has appointed L. T. Tilton, of Gettysburg, receiver of the Forest City Land and Improvement company, at Pierre, S. D. The receivership carries with it the control of the Forest City and Sioux City railroad.

Dec. 9 has been set for Michigan day at the Atlanta exposition, and the Detroit chamber of commerce appointed committees to make needed arrangements. A rate of 1 cent a mile has been obtained. Governor Rich and the mayor of every city in the state will be invited to attend.

A new bank, to be called the Farmers' State bank will be established in Dyersville, Dubuque county, Iowa, with a capital of \$25,000.

MISCELLANEOUS.

In the United States circuit court at Syracuse, N. Y., the jury in the case of the Atlas Knitting company of Amsterdam, N. Y., against Abraham Hart and others of Chicago, returned a verdict of \$9,073.34 in favor of the plaintiff.

The first case in Michigan under the new compulsory school law came up at St. Clair, when two parents were fined \$5 each for refusing to send to school their daughters.

Robert B. Fort, of Lacon, Ill., will enter the race for republican nominee for senator from his district. He is the only son of the late Colonel Fort, former congressman from this district.

The committee appointed by the national conference of the Free Mission church to try Rev. Mr. Davis, of Minneapolis, on charges preferred by Professor Crimell, has decided to drop the case.

The national fraternal congress at Toronto has adjourned. A committee was appointed to co-operate with the Ohio commission, which will inquire into insurance and fraternal societies.

At the second annual convention of the National Hardware association, in Pittsburgh, reading of papers occupied the day and the delegates were given a banquet in the evening by local merchants.

The coal operators and miners came to an agreement at Boone, Iowa, and the strike is over. The men will receive 90 cents a ton.

The strike at the National tin plate works at Anderson, Ind., has been declared off and the men resumed work Monday, acceding to the company's demands.

Francis Schlatter, the "healer," was discovered riding through Butte, Colo. He was going south and gave no explanation of his disappearance from Denver.

Nearly all hope for the safety of the schooner Edna M. Champion, which sailed from Philadelphia Oct. 12 for Port Tampa, Fla., is gone. She carried a crew of nine men.

Unless the 10 per cent reduction is restored, it is thought there will be a general strike on the Western New York and Pennsylvania railroad.

The cornerstone of the new Masonic temple at Paris, Ill., was held by the Masonic fraternities. Grand Master Owen Scott of Bloomington officiated.

Eugene V. Debs was released from the jail at Woodstock, Ill., Wednesday at midnight. He made a speech in Chicago Thursday evening before an enormous audience. A big reception and parade was given in his honor.

At the annual meeting of the National Civil Service Reform league in Washington, Dec. 12 and 13, John W. Ela of Chicago will read a paper on the movement in Chicago.

Ex-State Comptroller Edward Whipple of New York has been taken to the Utica State Hospital. His insanity has taken a bent toward arson. He consented to his own commitment.

It is estimated that gold to the value of \$1,000,000 a month is being turned out of the mines in the Cripple Creek, Colo., district.

General Master Workman Sovereign was re-elected by the Knights of Labor at Washington Wednesday.

Mrs. Theresa Fell, who was injured by a Chicago & Alton train, was awarded \$7,000 damages by a jury at Bloomington, Ill.

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LATEST MARKET REPORTS.

CHICAGO.

Cattle — Common to prime \$1.60 @ \$5.10
Hogs 2.00 @ \$3.65
Sheep—Good to choice 1.40 @ \$3.80
Wheat—Uo. 256 @ .57
Corn—No. 228 @ .29
Oats17 @ .18
Rye36 @ .37
Eggs19 @ .20
Potatoes16 @ .21

MILWAUKEE.

Wheat—No. 2 spring56 @ .57
Corn—No. 229 @ .30
Oats—No. 3 white19 @ .20
Barley—No. 235 @ .36
Rye—No. 137 @ .38

PEORIA.

Rye—No. 236 @ .37
Corn—No. 328 @ .29
Oats—No. 218 @ .19

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle 1.75 @ \$4.10
Hogs 3.25 @ \$3.60
Sheep 2.00 @ \$3.65

TOLEDO.

Wheat—Cash61 @ .65
Corn—No. 2 mixed28 @ .29
Oats—No. 2 mixed19 @ .20

NEW YORK.

Wheat—No. 2 red68 @ .69
Corn—No. 236 @ .37
Oats—No. 223 @ .24
Butter15 @ .23

ST. LOUIS.

Cattle 1.75 @ \$4.95
Hogs 3.25 @ \$3.60
Sheep 2.00 @ \$3.50
Wheat—Cash63 @ .64
Corn—Cash25 @ .26
Oats—Cash18 @ .19

BUFFALO.

Wheat—No. 1 hard65 @ .66
Corn—No. 2 yellow34 @ .36
Oats—No. 2 white23 @ .24

TRICK OF THE SULTAN.

TURKEY'S RULER BREAKS FAITH WITH THE POWERS.

Bahri Pasha, the Instigator of Many Atrocities, Appointed Military Commander in Aleppo—Fears That He Will Renew the Massacres.

Constantinople, Nov. 22.—Matters do not look as bright here as they did yesterday. The professed determination of the sultan to act energetically in suppressing the disorders in Asia Minor had a decidedly good effect here and elsewhere, and the troubles which threatened to cause the disruption of the Turkish government were looked upon as almost ended. But a further jarring has occurred, and it is once more Bahri Pasha who is the disturbing element. This notorious official made himself so conspicuous by his cruelty to Armenians and maladministration of his district when Governor of Van that the British ambassador, Sir Philip Currie, insisted upon his removal. After considerable correspondence on the subject, and plain evidence of the pasha's unfitness for his position having been furnished to the sultan, the latter removed the pasha. Bahri, however, brought the strongest influence to bear upon Abdul Hamid, protested his innocence of the charges brought against him, claimed that his removal was brought about by the intrigues of the Armenians and eventually he was not only forgiven, but was decorated with the Order of the Osmanieh and complimented upon his efforts to suppress disorder.

Soon afterward it was rumored that

WHERE IS HARRY STERLING?

The Young Man Mysteriously Disappeared from Kansas City.

Harry H. Sterling, son of F. P. Sterling, of Helena, Mont., is missing. He had been in the employ of the Union National bank of Kansas City until Oct. 30, the date of his disappearance. He had served the bank in the capacity of remittance clerk, and is a nephew of Vice President Rosenkrans. On Oct. 15 he was given two weeks' leave of absence, returning Oct. 30. He called at the bank on the evening of that day and said that he would be ready to go on duty in the morning. That night he got a check cashed in a cigar store and has not been seen in Kansas City since. It is supposed that he took a train for Chicago or some other point. Officials of the bank say Sterling's accounts have been found perfectly correct and they attach no dishonest motive to his disappearance. He was last seen Wednesday, Oct. 30. Sterling is 24 years old, of medium height, with slight mustache, dark hair and eyes. His parents are greatly grieved over his mysterious absence and have employed the Pinkerton detective agencies to look him up.

TO PROTECT "GOLDEN GATE."

Battery of Dynamite Guns Will Welcome Hostile Fleets.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 22.—The battery of dynamite guns which stretches along the bluffs south of Fort Point for nearly a mile is now ready to deal out destruction to any invading navy that may appear within three miles of the Golden Gate. Lieutenant Mirroy, who has charge, says that this battery, which defends the chief harbor of the Pacific coast, is the largest in the world. There is another located at

DAY'S CRIMINAL NEWS.

NEGRO MURDERER LYNNED IN TENNESSEE.

Taken from Jail and Strung to a Tree—Eighteen-Year-Old Boy Charged with the Triple Murder at Brownsville, Ore.—Other Crimes.

Knoxville, Tenn., Nov. 22.—Charles Hurd, the negro who murdered

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Queer Address.

The postal authorities at New York forwarded a letter to Chicago which caused considerable amusement in the postoffice. It had been mailed at Stamford, Turkey, and was addressed "To My Heavenly Father, U. S. A., Holy, Holy, Holy, Washington."

"We cannot find the address here," said Superintendent Montgomery. "We are obliged, however, to New York in thinking that this was his nearest address. It shows that New York's opinion of Chicago has improved."

The letter was forwarded to Washington.

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Great Reduction in Time to California. Once more the North-Western line has reduced the time of its trans-continental trains, and the journey from Chicago to California via this popular route is now made in the marvelously short time of three days. Palace drawing-room sleeping cars leave Chicago daily, and run through to San Francisco and Los Angeles without change, and all meals en route are served in dining cars. Daily tourist sleeping car service is also maintained by this line between Chicago and San Francisco and Los Angeles, completely equipped berths in upholstered tourist sleepers being furnished at a cost of only \$6.00 each from Chicago to the Pacific coast. Through trains leave Chicago for California at 6:00 p. m. and 10:45 p. m. daily, after arrival of trains of connecting lines from the East and South.

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Decorated with Apples.

Leavenworth, Kas., recently experienced its first apple carnival celebration. Every building and store front down town was gorgeously decorated with apples of all sizes and colors and the carnival colors, red, yellow and green, were conspicuous everywhere.

Atlanta and the South.

The Chicago and Eastern Illinois R. R. will during the time of the Exposition at Atlanta, Sept. 18, to Dec. 31, 1895, offer exceptionally fine service between Chicago and the South. A low rate ticket will be sold, and through cars run to all southern points. This is 65 miles the shortest route to Atlanta, Chattanooga and the South.

For guide to Atlanta and the Exposition address C. W. Humphrey, Northwestern Passenger Agent, St. Paul, Minn., or City Ticket Office, No. 230 Clark St., Chicago. Charles L. Stone, General Passenger Agent, Chicago.

Trips Over Jordan.

A woman evangelist is so eloquent in her preaching at Rexville, Ind., that somebody has the "power" every night, and on awakening describes the glories of heaven. The preacheress occasionally takes a trip to the shining shore herself.

Home Seekers' Excursion.

The Iron Mountain Route takes pleasure in announcing three home seekers' excursions to the great states of Arkansas and Texas, also to Lake Charles, La. The dates are Nov. 13, 27, and Dec. 11 and the rate will be one fare for the round trip, plus \$2, good to return any Tuesday or Friday up to and including Dec. 31. Stop over privileges south of Poplar Bluff, Mo. For information, land maps and descriptive pamphlets of Arkansas, Texas and Louisiana, call on or address Bissell Wilson, D. P. A., 111 Adams street, Chicago.

From Now Until Spring.

Overcoats and winter wraps will be in fashion. They can be discarded, temporarily, while traveling in the steam heated trains of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway. For solid comfort, for speed and for safety, no other line can compare with this great railway of the West.

THE BOARDING HOUSE.

It Is No Place in Which to Bring Up Your Children.

A dainty little mother, with a daughter not much smaller than herself, the other evening was bewailing the fact that just at present she was compelled to live in a boarding-house. Some surprise was expressed at such a statement coming from one whose quarters were located in one of the most aristocratic boarding-houses in Chicago, where the food, both as to quantity and quality, was unexceptionable. "Oh, yes," she said, "the food's all right, and I could not honestly find fault with the neighborhood, but the life itself will be the ruination of Dorothy," meaning the little daughter before mentioned. "Oh, it is something dreadful," she pathetically continued, "she is getting so horribly precocious and there is no way to prevent it. You see, every morning after breakfast there is a gathering of the clans in some one woman's room and there, over embroidery or the feeble week's mending that they dignify as work, they all talk scandal and gossip on topics that no child should be allowed to hear, and all the time there sits that baby of mine on the floor not half as interested in the doll which she is supposed to be playing with as she is with the conversation going on between those idle adults. As a result, she comes out with the strangest remarks, which are applauded by the women as cute and smart; she isn't like a baby, she is like an old woman, and I sometimes lie awake at night wondering what her future will be with no childhood memories of her own home, her own kitchen and the thousand and one little pleasures that a child can only enjoy under the roof-tree of its parents. Think of it—she will never know the joy of making little cakes from the left-over bits of bread dough; she will never know what it means to have a real, old-fashioned candy-pull. All that she will have as a recollection of her childhood will be the remembrance of those idle women talking about other people's concerns or their own bodily ailments."

PRINCESS VICTORIA.

The Heroine of a Romance Who Lately Passed Away.

The heroine of a romance in real life has just died. This was Princess Victoria of Capua, daughter of the brother of the king of Naples. A very handsome woman of the Amazonian type, she lived alone for many years in her chateau near Lucca, her one hobby and object in life being the breaking in of wild horses. The peasants of the neighborhood used to call her Diana. She would drive a four-in-hand of half-broken animals through the most rugged mountain passes with a resolution which astonished all who met her. Equally strange is the story of her birth. Her mother was a beautiful Irish girl who, having attracted the love of the heir presumptive of the throne of Naples, accepted his hand, but refused to live at court because his family denied her the privilege of her new rank. So the pair retired into obscurity and lived on the revenues of the prince's estate. She had only two children—the princess whose death is just announced and a son who became insane owing to hatred of women. So fixed was his delusion and so fierce did he become if a woman came near him or was visible from the castle windows that the walls had to be built up to an extraordinary height, thereby shutting out all view of the outside world.

Treatment of Blackheads.

To prevent blackheads one must have a good digestion, be scrupulously clean and take plenty of exercise. To cure them once they have appeared is a matter requiring time and patience. The face must be cleansed and softened with cold cream and the pores must be opened by a face steaming.

When this cannot be taken at a beautifying establishment it may be taken at home over a basin of boiling water, with a Turkish towel encircling the head and the basin. After the steaming the face should be gently pressed to force the blackhead out, but if it does not come out easily the trial must be abandoned for that day. More cold cream must be applied. After two or three such treatments a blackhead of ordinary obstinacy may be pressed out. Tincture of benzoin is admirable for its softening and tightening qualities. Its constant use will reduce enlarged pores to a normal size, and will keep wrinkles from getting much headway.

Lady Lytton Appointed by the Queen.

The late Owen Meredith was yet another example of the folly of a literary man's engaging in any sort of speculation. He died almost penniless, which was the more curious when one remembers what he must have made not only with his pen but by his political appointments, and what large amounts his father's prolific brain must have bequeathed to this only child of his. The Queen has appointed the Countess of Lytton Lady of the Bedchamber in Waiting, to the relief of all that unfortunate person's friends, who were most anxious as to her future, thus left unprovided for.

O Yes, We're Queer Sometimes.

Strange things occasionally happen where they are not looked for. A stray horse was arrested in Chicago Monday booked as a vagrant, given a jury trial and a fine of \$15 was imposed. The horse, not having \$15 in his inside pocket, was sent to the city pound.

Here's a New Man Now.

Franklin M. Harrison, of Des Moines, Iowa, is suing his wife for divorce and \$5,000 alimony. He says she took all his money to pay off incumbrances on her own property and now refuses to support him.

The German emperor is multiplying his musical compositions, and before long an album of songs written by him is to be published.

WOMAN AND HOME.

GOOD CURRENT READING FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS.

Some Notes of the Up-to-Date Fashions—A Simple Crepe—Growth of the Fur Cape—Lew Wallace's Energetic Wife—Household Hints.

IBBONS play no small part in the bedecking of the half-mourning frock, for dressy occasions. Broad ribbons of the softest surah are shown in both black and white, and are arranged on the frock in sash effect. An exceedingly smart gown of black and silk grenadine, made over black satin, has decorations of white surah run through slides of jet set with tiny pearls. The skirt is a very gracefully cut affair, the stiffness of the satin and the grenadine making it stand out in the smartest sort of way. The bodice is plain and seamless, the thin outside setting smoothly over the fitted underlining. The sleeves are in the bishop style, and stand out stiffly down to the waist. The bodice has a dainty arrangement of white surah ribbons brought from the low-cut shoulders through a pearl-set slide across the bust, through another slide, thence to the waist, where the ends fall half way down the skirt, finished by a full bow. A wide stock of the ribbon, with an immense bow at the back, finishes the costume. A gown of soft white wool is

termination is her abomination, nor is it easy for her to hate the sin and love the sinner in this regard; she is stone deaf to excuses for the delayed performances of duties, and is given to quoting Horace Greeley's saying: "The only way to do a thing is to do it."

Mrs. Wallace went through some thrilling experiences of border ruffianism in New Mexico when her husband was there. He had set determinedly about breaking up some of the worst gangs of desperadoes, with the natural result of gaining their deadly enmity. One young fellow of 21 who boasted that he had killed a man for every year he had lived staked his honor as a ruffian that Governor Wallace should be his next victim. It happened one night that Mr. and Mrs. Wallace and the youthful murderer took lodgings at the same hotel. It was a hot summer night, and after going to bed Mrs. Wallace arose and opened the door of the room, speaking of the increased comfort given by the current of air. Gen. Wallace quietly remarked: "Better leave it locked. D— is in the house watching his chance to shoot me." One can imagine the celerity with which the door was shut and the fear and trembling in which the night was passed by Mrs. Wallace, if not by her husband.

Growth of the Fur Cape.

It was only a few years ago the fur capes came into vogue, and were nothing more than a mere shoulder covering, shapeless, and with what now seems to us a horribly dowdy air; yet they were received with open arms, and were considered the most fetching things ever worn. Every season saw something added to the fur cape. First came the little till at the shoulders,



COSTUMES FOR YOUNG GIRLS.

treated in the same manner, substituting soft black surah ribbons for the white.

A Simple Crepe.

When one is in semi-mourning, and especially when one is young, one may occasionally attend a quiet little tea or evening gathering, when the affair is not too dressy. White is, of course, the second mourning color, so also is violet, in all the shades, and these are often employed in making up smart semi-dress frocks. A very pretty one to be worn soon by a young girl who has just laid aside "deep mourning" is a combination of silk, white crepe, black velvet and jet. The skirt is a widely spreading affair, fluffed over the body skirt, of heavy white silk. It hangs in great godets all around the form, and is ornamented at the front by a deep border of jet, separated by rows of black velvet ribbon.

The bodice is half low, just showing bit of the throat, and is made of Lyons velvet in jet black, fitted smoothly and fastened under the left arm. It comes in trifle below the waist, ending in sharp points, both back and front. The sleeves are huge balloon affairs, coming to the elbow, and are of crepe lace over white silk, all studded with the jet sequins. A deep frill of velvet-bordered crepe falls from the elbow over the half length black suede gloves. Altogether, the frock is very simple, but wonderfully striking, owing to the ex-

then the cozy high collar, then an adding length, until the elbow was reached; now, last of all, we have the full sweep, with huge collars, perfectly flat



tremes of color. Lace forms a very small part in the mourning costume.

Lew Wallace's Energetic Wife.

Mrs. Lew Wallace, like many another wife of a man of letters, has been the shield between her husband and the thousand small annoyances of the every day world. She has served as a constant spur to her husband in his literary work, and her pride in his genius and desire that he should make the most of it have impelled her to urge him on when he might otherwise have halted for a space. The same energetic spirit has always been carried into every detail of her life. Progra-

then the shoulders, and ornamented in various ways with a contrasting fur, small heads of beasts, tails or rich lace. The cape of the present is as modish a wrap as a dainty woman can wear, and, aside from its mere beauty, is wonderfully comfortable and proof against the winds, however chill. In keeping with the richness of the outside the linings are exquisite. Brocades are used in abundance, in tints to harmonize with the fur. A rich chinchilla cape has a lining of pearl gray satin brocaded with scarlet in a straggling fashion. The linings for ermine capes are especially lovely, in delicate color, mostly in soft yellows, blues or rose pinks. Those so fashionable brown satin linings are very seldom seen nowadays even in the sealskin coats. A band of ribbon, embroidered with the name of the owner, is a pretty way of individualizing the cloaks.

Housekeeping Hints.

When grease is spilled on the kitchen floor cold water should be poured over it immediately; the grease will then harden and can easily be scraped away when firm. If it is not treated in this fashion it sinks into the floor and repeated scrubings fail to remove it. While this is true for grease, it does not do with oils.

Turpentine is the best friend housekeepers have, and a supply should always be kept on hand. It is good for burns, excellent for corns, good for rheumatism and sore throat and a quick remedy for fits and convulsions. It is a sure preventative against moths, a few drops rendering garments safe from such invasions during the summer. It drives ants and bugs from storerooms and corners by putting a few drops on the shelves. It effectively destroys bugs and injures neither furniture nor clothing. For cleaning paint add a spoonful to a pail of warm water. A little in the suds on washday makes washing easier.

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TWO QUEENS' BIRTHDAYS.

Rulers of Denmark and Holland Celebrate Their Natal Days.

Cincinnati Commercial Gazette: Two queens celebrated their birthdays recently, and they had pleasure not unlike those of mortals more lowly, only the presents were finer. The queen of Denmark completed, on the 7th inst., her seventy-eighth year. The queen received early congratulations from the royal family and their guests. The king gave the queen a charming antique bureau, the dowager empress of Russia gave her mother a bracelet set with diamonds and pearls, the princess of Wales, the king and queen of Greece, the czarowitz, and the Grand Duke and Grand Duchess Alexander Mikhalowitch all gave her majesty jewelry; the crown prince and crown

princesses of Denmark sent a gilt basket filled with roses and heliotrope, and from Prince and Princess Waldemar the queen received a painting. The younger princes and princesses sent flowers. At 12:30 o'clock the crown prince and princess of Denmark arrived, and shortly afterward the queen held a reception in the garden apartment. In the afternoon the queen of Denmark, the king and queen of Greece, and the princess of Wales went for a long drive, while the king of Denmark and the dowager empress of Russia walked out. Dinner was served at 7 o'clock, the king of Greece proposing the health of the queen. The queen of Holland completed her fifteenth year on the same day. All the peasants were in their best attire, and there was merry-making of all kinds. The young queen conferred on a number of persons orders and honors of various kinds.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dread disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials.

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Gen. Saussier.

General Saussier, who would command the French army in case of war, is past seventy years, an age at which an American commander-in-chief would have been long retired, but still a robust and clear-headed man of affairs. He is a soldier of unusual stature, and at present he is the military governor of Paris.

The especial attention of our readers is called to the notice in this paper "Free Fare to Texas." It offers a grand opportunity to secure a home in the garden of prosperous Texas. Read it for further information.

Out west they have tornadoes and Eli Perkins, while here in the east we have strawberries and baseball. Move east, young man.—Texas Siftings.

I could not get along without Piso's Cure for Consumption. It always cures—Mrs. E. C. Mouzon, Needham, Mass., Oct. 22, '94.

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Agents—Ladies

TAKEN FROM THE ENEMY.

BY HENRY NEWBOLT.

caught it, and looked at him with kindly interest.

"If you are waiting for some one," she said, "of course I will not trouble you; good fortune to the brave!" and she left him glowing with mingled confusion and gratitude. She was far too great a lady to be curious, but all good women of her age are very naturally interested in a young romance, and it is not astonishing that she found time now and again to glance in Estcourt's direction.

For a long while he did not change his position, and she began to fear that he was doomed to disappointment. But at last there was a stir near the door, and she hurried forward to receive the new guests.

An elderly dowager in green satin, and a gouty old nobleman in a star and spectacles hobbed in and paid a brace of homely compliments. As they passed on, Lady Glamorgan glanced back over her shoulder, and saw to her surprise that Estcourt was coming forward through the crowd with a look of relief upon his face.

"The Mill, Ickes?" she asked herself. "What can the man be thinking of?"

But as he drew nearer she saw that his eyes ignored this absurd old couple, and were fixed intently upon some one beyond. She turned to the door once more, just in time to welcome a very different pair. A gentleman with iron-gray hair and mustaches, wearing a red ribbon across his plain evening dress, was piloting a lady through the throng that blocked the entrance, with a courtesy and adroitness that conspicuously distinguished him from all around.

"And to you," she answered readily. "I have found the pearl you were good enough to hunt for the other day. Where do you suppose it was?"

"Madame de Montaut," he said, with desperate frielevancy, "I have admired you ever since I first saw you."

"You can hardly expect a woman to go quite so far in return," she replied, with an affectation of cordial simplicity; "but I may say truly that there is no one whose step I prefer to yours. Come, the next dance must be beginning, and I am eager not to lose a note of it." And she rose lightly and shut her fan.

He too stood up, but did not move toward the door.

"I am sorry," he said; "but what I have to offer you is more than a dance—if it be not much less."

Her quick ear caught the sincerity of his tone and her look changed. "You are right," she said, with a serious grace; "I will hear you." And she sank with a soft rustle into the low chair, which she filled with an air of easy royalty.

He remained standing; his hands, as they grasped the back of the other chair, were tense with nervous energy, but his throat was dry and his brain confused; for his life he could not break from this fatal dumbness and express himself.

A gleam of not unkindly merriment shone in her eyes as she came to the rescue.

"Capt. Estcourt," she said, "you are a man whose words mean, at the least, all they say; since then, you speak of admiration, I understand you to offer me—love."

She shook hands with her guests and retreated a little to watch their meeting with this audacious young captain.

It was evident at once that he was already in favor with Col. de Montaut at any rate; the lady too, after a few moments' talk between the three, accepted Estcourt's arm and continued her progress down the room.

A quadrille was just ending; in another moment the dancers would be dispersing, two and two, in all directions to the seats and more secluded corners. Estcourt led his partner across to the other door; there she stopped him and turned to look at the dance. Her eyes sparkled, and her foot began to beat time upon the floor.

"Splendid!" she cried; "I long to be one of them myself!"

His brow contracted slightly. "Don't you think," he suggested, a little timidly, "that we had better choose our seats before the rush comes?"

"Oh, no, thank you," she replied, laughing. "I shall not need a seat for a long time yet; we have only just arrived. But perhaps you have been here longer and are tired of dancing already?"

"I have been here an hour or more," he replied, "but I have not been dancing."

"And pray, if I may ask, for what other purpose did you come so early?"

This directness confused him. "I—I got here too soon," he said, "and had to wait outside by the abbey."

"Where, of course, you could not dance," she interrupted, mischievously.

"And even then I was almost the first here," he continued; "and—and—"

"And so you resolved to dance only with the latest comer, by way, I suppose, of striking the balance right?"

He pulled himself together, and made an effort to play his part in the game. "Balance or not," he said, earnestly, "I resolved to dance only with the latest comer, if she should be Madame de Montaut."

"And so you shall," she answered merrily, as the dancers broke off from their first figure and made for the door in pairs; "that is, as soon as these poor things have rested; in the meantime let us walk in the empty room till they come back."

She took his arm once more, and her touch seemed to send a tremor through him from head to foot; they stepped forward into the great ballroom, hung with mirrors and gaily colored flags, and brilliant with a thousand lights that threw a dazzling sheen upon the broad expanse of polished floor. She talked with animation, and he answered almost mechanically; the intoxication of pride mounted to his head, and numbed his senses as he made his triumphal progress before the eyes of the elder ladies on the dais, the long line of dancers sitting out against the walls, and the herd of solitary men standing each with folded arms, at the bottom of the room. Their whispers reached him with faint incense, and he scarcely knew himself for a mortal like the rest.

But now the band struck up again; the crowd returned, and he found himself floating with his radiant partner through the upper heaven of perfect rhythmic motion. Suddenly, as it seemed, the music stopped; he mastered the swimming sensation in his brain and turned to look at her. Her eyes beamed back upon him with frank sympathy.

"Glorious!" she exclaimed. "What a pity it must end so soon!"

"So soon?" he stammered, in a sudden panic; "so soon?"

"We are leaving early to-night."

"But it is only just now!"

"Then we leave but half an hour more."

Everything commenced upon the first day of the moon is supposed to turn out successful.

There was an undertone of unexpressed meaning in the words; she



HOWARD KYLE.

ABOUT HOWARD KYLE

HE RANKS WITH AMERICA'S FOREMOST ACTORS.

Was Educated for the Ministry of the Methodist Church — He Inclined Toward the Stage, However, and Is a Credit to the Profession.

HOWARD KYLE whose stage work has placed him in the foremost rank of young American actors, was born in Shullsburg, Wis. He is known in private life as Kyle A. Vandergrift, (says the New York Clipper.) As

his name indicates, he is of German ancestry, but only partly so, as his mother's lineage was English. His father has an honorable record as a soldier, having served in the ranks in the Mexican war, and having held a captain's commission in the war of the rebellion. It was the desire of Mr. Kyle's family connections that he should become a clergyman of the Methodist Episcopal church, but when he graduated from school his own inclination prevailed, and he studied law.

After applying himself for two years to such study, he determined to yield his purpose to his growing desire to seek achievement in another field,

and he therefore sought a position upon the stage.

His opportunity having been gained, he made his professional debut at Myer's opera-house, Janesville, Wis., appearing as Guildenstern and the Second Gravedigger. From early youth his aspirations had been toward the stage, for at school he had won credit for his recitations, and had won the prize in an oratorical contest in which all of his competitors were his seniors. After leaving school, however, he had no opportunity to gain experience as an amateur actor, his only appearance in that capacity having been made as Dolly Spanker, in a performance of "London Assurance," given for a charitable purpose.

Notwithstanding his lack of training for his new vocation, and in spite of many discouragements, he held firmly to his determination, and carefully studied and faithfully labored to portray all characters entrusted to him, until his merits finally commanded public recognition.

Naturally his services were in active demand, and were secured in the support of many stars, among whom may be mentioned Julia Marlowe, Margaret Mather, Frederick Warde and Mme. Modjeska. His training has mostly been confined to that which is called the legitimate drama, but that the tragic and poetic roles in which he has been wont to appear have not unfitted him for the contemporaneous

drama was abundantly proven by his masterly performance as the Rector in "Magda," Mme. Modjeska's version of Suderman's "Hlemath."

He was equally successful in Margaret Mather's production of "Jeanne d'Arc," and in "The Magic Mask," produced several seasons ago. Further proof of his versatility may also be found in some of his more recent work.

While a member of the stock company, last season, at the Grand Opera-House, Salt Lake City, he was very successful in many roles of widely different character, among which were Raphael de Correze, in Ouida's "Moths;" Jethro Baxter, the old Yankee farmer, in "Caprice," and Captain Featherston, in "Our Regiment."

Among the characters for the interpretation of which he has received high praise from many prominent critics, may be mentioned Macduff, in "Macbeth;" Sir Edward Mortimer, in "Mary Stuart;" Old Belarius, in "Cymbeline;" Claudio, in "Measure for Measure;" Mercutio, in "Romeo and Juliet;" Claudio, in "Much Ado About Nothing;" Paola, in "Francesca da Rimini," and Dr. Weber, the Rector, in "Magda."

Mr. Kyle is at present in the support of Mme. Modjeska, to whom he is under contract for leading parts, but with whom, during her recent engagement in

this city, he played leading juvenile roles.

This noted actress desired his support during her last European tour, and made him a proposition to that effect, as she desired to make an extended continental tour with an English-speaking company; but the interruption of the mails, caused by the great railroad strike at that time, prevented the consummation of the engagement.

Mr. Kyle justly claims that an actor should sink his identity in the role he assumes; that correct characterization is the triumph of the actor's art; and in this belief may be found the corner-stone of his success. Upon this stone, however, he has built with the utmost care and with studious attention to detail. He has many natural gifts which fit him for his work, and these he has carefully nurtured.

He has been endowed with a remarkable voice, which, under his own careful training, has become an invaluable gift. It is full and resonant, yet soft and mellow in quality, and of such flexibility that it enables him readily to portray all emotions and every phase of each. His manner varies equally with his voice, and he is capable of displaying either the greatest virility or the utmost tenderness of demeanor.

J. CHARLES DAVIS.

The Promoter of the American Theatrical Syndicate Trust.

J. Chas. Davis is the man who is supposed to be at the head of the Great American Theatrical Syndicate which we heard so much about some time ago. This syndicate was to be organized for the purpose of corraling all the best American plays and players, as well as to get under its control a string of theaters that would make the strongest theatrical circuit in the world. We have not heard anything of the scheme lately, and it is to be hoped that Mr. Davis has not been fooling the news-

"Americans" Table Novelties. They have just found out over in London, according to an Englishwoman's weekly, that "in America they send to table at the beginning of dinner, delicate little sticks of celery, two inches or so in length, very crisp, served on ice, and the diners eat their celery as they go on from dish to dish, just as we eat bread." Very "appetizing and delicious," too, it is pronounced, and it is recommended to be tried by hostesses searching for novelties for shooting luncheons.

This is better than another of the same class of publications, which suggests to a correspondent asking for menu ideas for a garden party that "American cornbread" and "American lemon pie," are "novel dishes, said to be exceedingly good." So they are, indeed, but not at garden parties.—New York Times.

Big Crop of 'Possums.

There is a place in southwest Georgia where there are so many 'possums that you can kill all you desire with a stick. You go in the woods, wrap up in a blanket and go to sleep. You will soon be awakened and by using your stick freely you can slaughter the 'possums around you at will. This was tried recently and a wagon load of 'possums was the result.—Atlanta Constitution.

England's Great Virtue.

It is a cardinal virtue with Englishmen that they should control their emotions. It is an equally accepted code of life in France that the emotions should be given free play.

Gastric Dyspepsia

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J. CHARLES DAVIS.

papers for the sake of enjoying a practical joke.—Metropolitan Magazine.

Picture of a Martyr.

The worst part of martyrdom is not the last agonizing moment; it is the wearing daily steadfastness. There are many Christians who have the weight of some deep incommunicable grief pressing, cold as ice, upon their hearts. To bear that cheerfully and manfully is to be a martyr. There is many a Christian bereaved and stricken in the best hopes of life. For such a one to say quietly, "Father, not as I will, but as thou wilt," is to be a martyr.—F. W. Robertson.

Patronage of British Minister.

The actual salary of a minister of the crown is not so much an object to those who are called to the state councils, but the immense patronage such an office confers is eagerly sought after by all aspirants to political renown and emoluments. Although the prime minister's annual stipend is no more than \$5,000 per annum, his patronage may be estimated at ten times that sum.

Two Classes.

Great Statesman (amazed)—You don't seem to take much interest in politics. Citizen—N-o. I earn my living in another way.

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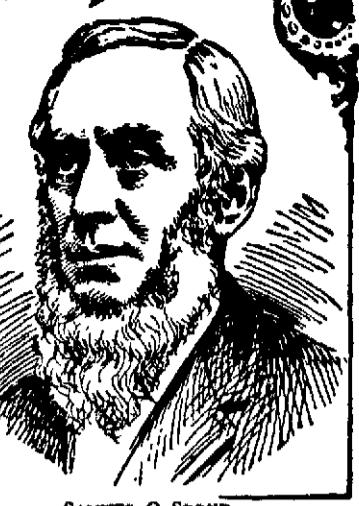
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SAMUEL O. STONE.

Grass Lake, Mich., Dec. 23, 1894.
I have been troubled with heart disease 15
years or more. Most of the time I was so
bad it was not safe for me to go out alone,
as dizzy spells would cause falling. I had
severe palpitation, shortness of breath, and
dyspepsia, which were very distressing and helpless. All
physicians did for me was to advise keeping
quiet. In August last I commenced taking

Dr. Miles' New Heart Cure,
and before I had finished the first bottle I
found the medicine was a God-send. I have
now used four bottles in all and nothing
has been able to equal its power. It has
held a grudge against patent medicines all
my life, but I will not allow this to prevent
giving my testimony to the great cure your
valuable remedy has wrought in me. I do
this to show my appreciation of Dr. Miles'
New Heart Cure. SAMUEL O. STONE.

Dr. Miles' Heart Cure Restores...Health.

More Locals

—Go to the Cheap Cash store.

—W. W. Mitchell was a Milwaukee
visitor, last week.

—Baled hay, both wild and timothy,
at Gen. J. Leonard's, Clark street.

—Simply to stimulate trade during
the next 30 days, Ennor will make all
photographic work at half price.

—Upholstering, curtain hanging,
carpet laying, etc., at Paul Roettger's,
Strong's ave. Good work, low prices.

—Krutza, the tailor, 424 Main
street, second floor, has received his
fall and winter goods and is ready to
wait on customers.

—John Lovley, one of Almond's
substantial farmers, made one of his
periodical visits to the city on a busi-
ness trip, the last of the week.

—Dist. Atty. Goldberg, of Wau-
paca, and who makes his home in
Milwaukee most of the time, was a
Stevens Point visitor on Thursday.

—John W. Hume, the Oshkosh
attorney, and a former member of the
Board of Normal School Regents, was
in the city Friday evening between
trains.

—When in want of pine, cedar or
hemlock shingles, call on the South
Side Lumber Co., who have the most
complete stock in Stevens Point, all
of their own manufacture. *tf*

—Burglar and fire proof safety de-
posit boxes for rent by the Citizens
National Bank. Prices, \$3.00 per
year and upwards. The only burglar
proof deposit boxes in this part of the
state. *sp19t*

—Mrs. John Conniff came down
from Dancy, the last of the week, for
the purpose of removing her house-
hold goods to that place and will
make her home with her daughter,
Mrs. Geo. G. Knoller.

—The H. D. McCulloch Co. is head-
quarters for paints, oils and wall paper,
they having one of the finest and lar-
gest stocks in this locality. They
carry nothing but the best and purest
in paints, and guarantee every can
sold.

—Fifty cents saved on every barrel
of Gold Crown flour bought. Manufactured by the Jackson Milling Co.
Patronize home industry, instead of
purchasing flour made at Minneapolis
or other points. Warranted to be
equal in all respects. *tf*

—Geo. H. Cronyn, the expert
accountant who has been in the city
for the past three months examining
the Comptroller bank books, will look
over the affairs of the new Waukesha
brewery, which recently went into
the hands of a receiver.

—Good advice: Never leave home on
a journey without a bottle of Chamber-
lain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea
Remedy. For sale by H. D. McCul-
loch Co. Druggists. *Nov*

Stock and Property For Sale.

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OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS

Of the Common Council.

COUNCIL CHAMBER, City of Stevens Point,
Wisconsin, Oct. 10th, 1895.

An adjourned regular meeting of the
Common Council held Oct. 10th, 1895. Hon.
Hon. J. L. Barker, the Mayor, presiding;
Postmaster, Ald. Kerner, Britt, Cushman, Maine,
Kieliszewski, King and Dumbleton.

Twenty minutes of last meeting dis-
pensed with.

The following invitation presented and
read:

To the Honorable Mayor and Common
Council of the City of Stevens Point, Wisconsin:
We, the Polish residents of this city, will celebrate
the 65th anniversary of the noble attempt to
gain liberty and independence for Poland.
Knowing well, that all true and patriotic
Americans have the deepest sympathy for
any nation that aspires to be free and inde-
pendent, they invite the Mayor, or any
other honored body to be present at Chillico-
Hill, on the evening of the above mentioned
date, and by so doing to make it an occasion
long to be remembered by all. Trusting your
honorable body will find it convenient to
grace their gathering by your presence, we are,

Very truly yours,
M. KIELISZEWSKI,
S. HUTTER,
RAYMOND L. LANDIE, M. D.
Committee.

On motion of Ald. Kerner, and seconded,
the invitation was accepted.

Resolution of Ald. Dumbleton:

Whereas, Certain partially burned buil-
dings standing on Clark street, between Third
and Second street, are dangerous and a
dangerous mark for further fires, thereby endan-
gering the surrounding property, therefore
the City of Stevens Point, that the Chief of
Police be authorized and instructed to notify
the owners of said property to have the same
taken down and removed within ten days.

On motion of Ald. Maine, and seconded, the
resolution was adopted.

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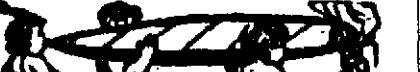
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Torrence, despite his weakness for such finery as \$10,000 overcoats, is a man of marked ability. He began life

THE CHINESE LANGUAGE.

There Are Six Classes of Characters, but No Alphabet or Use.

The peculiarity of the Chinese language consists of the fact that they have a written and printed language and no alphabet, every word in their vocabulary having a separate character of its own. These characters are divided into six classes, the total number being about 24,236. The first class, according to eminent Chinese philologists, includes "initiative symbols." There are 608 in number and are believed to be the very first Chinese symbolic signs invented. The second class includes the "symbols indicating thought" and are 107 in number. These characters are formed in such a way as to indicate by their form or position some idea referring to the relative circumstances pointing to them. The third class includes 740 characters known as "combined ideas." This class bears some relation to our compound words and comprises characters made up of two or more symbols to form a single idea. The fourth class is listed as "inverted significations" and includes 872 characters, which, by some inversion, contraction or alteration of parts, are made to acquire different meanings. The fifth is the great class of "united sound symbols," containing 21,810 characters. The sixth class, which has no fixed number of characters, is listed under the head of "borrowed uses." This class includes metaphoric symbols and combinations in which the meaning is induced by some fanciful imagination. But a few hundred of these have been figured in characters by the type founders, but imaginative writers have been known to use thousands that are not regularly recognized as belonging in the language and which are not included in the sum total of 24,236 characters mentioned in the opening.

Certain fanciful writers, so Dr. Williamina says, have been known to use as high as 260,000 such symbols. The authority referred to in the foregoing sentence, while he admits that romantic writers have been known to employ upward of 260,000 characters in their writings, closes his article on that subject by saying, "While an enormous number of characters are occasionally employed, running in some instances for above 200,000, it may be safely said that a knowledge of 10,000 characters will enable one to read any work published in the Chinese language and to write intelligently on any subject." —St. Louis Republic.

RATHER EMBARRASSING.

The Predicament In Which a Hasty Marriage Placed a Clergyman.

"One of the funniest and yet the most embarrassing things that ever happened during my ministry," said a clergyman to a reporter, "happened while I had charge of a church in a small town. One Sunday I had for a guest a clergyman who had removed from our town to a distant city about ten months previous. As he was a very popular man with his townsmen I asked him to occupy my pulpit that Sunday morning. It happened that just at the time this clergyman left town a young man, who had only been married a short time, lost his bride and was completely crushed by the blow. Fears were entertained for his reason, and every one in the town, including my friend, the clergyman, felt the deepest sympathy for him. Well, it happened that while he was escorting his wife's remains to her former home he met a charming young lady, and in less than six months they were married. But the clergyman knew nothing of this, and when on that fatal Sunday morning he stood in the pulpit and saw before him this young widow, as he supposed, he naturally thought of his bereavement. So it was that during his sermon the congregation was amazed to hear him begin to pray for this young man. He said:

"There is before you, Lord, a young man who has suffered a recent and terrible affliction and for whom we ask your special blessing. Be near and comfort him in his last affliction, keep him safe in life and be near him when death shall remove him from his great sorrow."

"Just think what that poor man and his new wife must have felt sitting through such a prayer as that. The whole congregation gasped." —Indianapolis Sun

OVER HALF A MILLION.

That Sum to Be Expended For a New Presbyterian Publishing House.

The new building that will soon be erected in Philadelphia by the Presbyterian board of publication and Sabbath school work will be a colossal structure of granite and terra cotta, towering ten stories in the air and occupying a site at the northwest corner of Walnut and Juniper streets, 225 feet long and 75 feet wide. The work will call for the expenditure of \$525,000, and when it is completed the Presbyterian board will be the proud possessor of the most complete structure of the kind in the country, it is said. Besides furnishing accommodations for the board of publication and Sabbath school work and a vast auditorium for the use of the general assembly the building will have 150 strictly up to date offices for rent. The structure will be heated by steam

The Acadians.

The story of Evangeline is in mind, and we read from the poem as we ride along, and our hearts are touched with pity for the poor Acadians turned out of house and home, taken away from their beautiful land and driven into exile. There are places from which one might be exiled with quantity. Acadia is not one of them.

The offense of the Acadians was their nationality. They were loyalty and aggressively French. Forty years before their exile France had made a treaty with England and had delivered up this peninsula of Nova Scotia into English possession. It belonged to England. But the people who were thus disposed did not concur. They refused to be Anglicized. They declined to take an oath of allegiance. They inhabited and endangered the lives of the English garrison at Annapolis Royal. Whatever they could do against their governors they did. And the situation became intolerable. France and England were fighting at Fort Duquesne and elsewhere, and the Acadian farmers were sending their sons to join the armies of the French. It seemed essential to the success of the English arms on this continent that there should be a peaceful possession of Acadia. And when milder measures failed the English adopted that expedient which the story of Evangeline has made one of the best known incidents of history. —Pittsburg Dispatch.

Readers.

I wonder why it is that it is no longer good form to speak of "resting" anything. The folks who used to be "electrificationists" are all "readers" or "entertainers" now, and they never "recite" they "read." I was at a house a fortnight ago, and among the guests was a young man who can make shivers run along your spine by the way he repeats "Old Love Letters." The hostess asked him to sing. He said that he wouldn't sing, but he would read to us.

"Thank you so much," said the hostess. "What book shall I get you?"

"Oh," said the man, and all his ability didn't help him to see the absurdity of it. "I will read from memory." —Washington Post.

The Wrong Name.

In applying for a marriage license a Chicago man signed the name of his employer to the affidavit and was compelled, when he discovered his mistake an hour later, to have the clerk make out another document. The man explained that for many years he had been accustomed to sign his chief's name to business papers, and it had become a sort of second nature.

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The Little Dressmaker.
Fashionable women are very fond of having a mysterious "little dressmaker" of their own, who produces successful tolls, at what they are pleased to consider a very small cost.
"What a lovely frock! Where did you get it?" This note of admiration often elicits the reply:
"Oh, a little dressmaker I discovered lately made it for me," and the fair possessor feels quite a sense of creation in her treasure trove. A woman, too, while shopping in Paris, often finds more real pleasure in the "petite costumes" which she invents with the aid of a clever although obscure little couturiere whom she has "found," than in her most elaborate and costly confections from the great houses, especially if she is successful in bringing her favorite to the fore and making her famous in the bonn monde.

HOW TO PREVENT CROUP.

Some reading that will prove interesting to young mothers. How to guard against the disease. Croup is a terror to young mothers and to post them concerning the cause, first symptoms and treatment is the object of this item. The origin of croup is a common cold. Children who are subject to take cold very easily and croup is almost sure to follow. The first symptom is hoarseness; this is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough, which is easily recognized and will never be forgotten by one who has heard it. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given all tendency to croup will soon disappear. Even after the croupy cough has developed it will prevent the attack. There is no danger in giving this remedy for it contains nothing injurious. For sale by H. D. McCulloch Co., Druggists.

How Floridians Live in Summer.
The question is often asked, "How do people manage to live in Florida during the summer?" That they do live and live comfortably, is evident. Few Floridians work very hard during the hot summer months, for food costs very little. The lakes and rivers are alive with fish, the ground is full of sweet potatoes, corn that will yield 40 bushels to the acre is ripening in the fields, watermelons can be bought for 5 cents each, tomatoes are given away in many places, fruits are plentiful, Florida beef is cheap and nourishing, and many other things can be had for almost nothing.—Jacksonville (Fla.) Citizen.

Just Waiting.
An old lady, far advanced in years, was walking one day through a churchyard, when she stopped before three mounds that formed, as it were, three sides of a square. The graves were those of the late doctor and parson of the parish and of an old East Indian, noted whilst players in their day. "There they are," she remarked placidly after a pause; "the auld rubbers, just waiting for me to cut in." —San Francisco Argonaut.

The wife of Mr. Leonard Wells, of East Brimfield, Mass., had been suffering from neuralgia for two days, not being able to sleep or hardly keep still when Mr. Holden, the merchant there sent her a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and asked that she give it a thorough trial. On meeting Mr. Wells the next day he was told that she was all right, the pain had left her within two hours, and that the bottle of Pain Balm was worth \$5.00 if it could not be had for less. For sale at 50 cents per bottle at the H. D. McCulloch Co., drug store.

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Order your season's supply of the John Rice & Bro. Co. and get good coal. It doesn't cost any more than poor coal costs you. Ask any of our last year's customers how the quality of our coal compared with that bought of other dealers.

To the Farmers.

When in want of anything in the line of lumber, lath, shingles, sash, doors, blinds and mouldings, call on the South Side Lumber Co. and look over their stock, get their figures, and be convinced it is to your interest to deal with them. Our stock is all dry, and we will not be undersold on any item, no matter how small the amount. Call and look over our large stock of cedar and pine shingles.

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John Jones, the artificial stone builder, is prepared to do all work in his line, and guarantees to give satisfaction. Particular attention given to the laying of sidewalks, floors for carriage houses, stables, factories, etc. None but the best of material used, and work done in an artistic, lasting and pleasing manner. Patronage solicited. Call at or address, John Jones, 315 N. Second street, city.

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More Local.

F. B. Merriam carries a fine and full line of shoes for ladies.

Crackers are way down in price, but high in quality, at Bennett's bakery.

Mrs. L. E. Fay will spend Thanksgiving with her mother and sister at New Richmond.

J. E. and Miss Mary Welch are enjoying a visit from their sister, Miss Anna Welch of Knox Mills.

Tea will be served in the Japanese department, and supper for both evenings will be served on European plan, Friday and Saturday, Atwell block, Main street.

Mrs. Edith Stinchfield will be here to personally take charge of the fancy articles sent from her art parlors at Waupaca. Atwell block, Friday and Saturday.

E. B. Cottrill, general superintendent of the Wisconsin Telephone Co., Milwaukee, is in the city today on a business trip and to visit among old time friends, S. K. Rounds, B. B. Park and others.

Miss Bessie Hinckley will send a beautiful assortment of linens from the Woman's Exchange, at Sheboygan, to be on sale at the Paper Bazaar, Nov. 29th and 30th, at the Atwell Block, Main street.

We will sell you any amount of lumber, grades equal, cheaper than you can buy elsewhere in Stevens Point. Call and get our figures before buying, and we will convince you we mean just what we say.

SOUTH SIDE LUMBER CO.

The snow storm that visited this section, Monday night, came in the form of a blizzard farther south and trains were generally delayed yesterday, train No. 1, due here at 7:40 not reaching the city until 11:15 A. M.

Wm. Sherhart, the Central bridge carpenter who was seriously injured at Ashtabula some six weeks ago, by falling from a bridge, was brought to his home, 521 Strong's avenue, last Thursday.

Jas. J. Hayes, special agent for the Rhode Island Underwriters Association, Providence, R. I., was in the city yesterday, and within twenty-four hours after the barn fire at the fair grounds had the loss in Geo. E. Oster's agency fully adjusted.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have a sale and chicken pie supper in Redfield's vacant store building, South Side, Tuesday afternoon and evening, Dec. 3rd. The bill of fare will please you and the cost is only 25 cents. A great variety of articles and ornaments will be prepared for sale.

Beautiful creations in crepe paper will be found at the Paper Bazaar, given by the young ladies of the Presbyterian church, next Friday and Saturday, afternoon and evening. Also lamp shades in varied and artistic designs for banquet, piano and hall lamps. Boxes of all sizes and descriptions, for handkerchiefs, cuffs and collars, bon bons, fans and neckties. Dolls dressed in all the latest styles for the little ones.

This paper had a special reporter on its staff last week, so it was quite evident after the issue was run off. He is evidently a high-priced man, one who would be a valuable acquisition to any first-class paper, and almost indispensable at times, but curious enough he has not yet appeared to receive his salary. We are awaiting his appearance, with a club, and are assured the assistance of the veteran editor of the Waukesha Republican, if necessary.

A Fine Lecture.

Prof. Garry E. Culver delivered his first lecture on "Geological forces and the work they accomplish," at the Presbyterian church, last Saturday evening. This lecture was listened to by about one hundred people, and was most interesting from commencement to finish. Mr. Culver is a pleasant speaker, and has the happy faculty of bringing in a witty remark now and then, and always just at the right time. This lecture was devoted to the changes caused by temperature, moisture, frost, waves, etc., and a number of the explanations being of a local nature, including the Wisconsin river valley and Northern Wisconsin in particular, the lecture was doubly interesting. He will speak again one week from next Friday evening.

N. H. Emmons is Dead.

On Saturday last the sad news was received in this city that N. H. Emmons had passed away. He died at Lafayette, Ind., on Thursday, where the family had lived only about three weeks before his demise, and which was caused by paralysis of the heart after an illness of only two weeks duration. Mr. Emmons was 68 years old and leaves a widow and two daughters, Misses Myra and Zella, the former having been a resident of New York for some time. A Lafayette paper of Friday stated that Mrs. Emmons was dangerously ill and her recovery is doubtful.

The deceased gentleman lived in Stevens Point for about forty years, and for several years was a member of the firm of Burr, Emmons & Co., who did a general merchandise and lumbering business. For a number of years after the dissolution of this firm he was employed by his brother-in-law, the late Benj. Burr, as book-keeper, and thereafter as manager of his store at the South Side. During his residence here, Mr. Emmons also held several offices and other positions of trust, and was ever found worthy of the confidence imposed in him. Some four or five years ago the family removed to Eddy, New Mexico, where Mr. Emmons was the part owner of a lumber yard, but for some time they had made their home at Dallas, Texas. The announcement of his death will be received with deep regret many old friends in Stevens Point. Besides his immediate family, he leaves two sisters, Mrs. Northrop of St. Paul, and Mrs. Merrill, of Milwaukee.

Ship Venison for Beef.

When Game Warden Ellarson was in the city, last Wednesday, he was informed, through some channel, that a car load of venison would pass through Stevens Point that day on its way to Chicago. The train to which this car was attached was expected about noon, but it did not arrive until nearly evening. In the meantime Mr. Ellarson had departed for the south, leaving the matter in the hands of his deputies, Benj. Fleming and John Sellers, who found the car when it arrived and asked the Central agent, N. F. Phillips, to open it. This request was complied with, and the deputies found eight fine deer carcasses, some of them weighing fully three hundred pounds. They had been shipped as beef from a point this side of the Minnesota line, and were billed for Chicago. The deputies did not feel authorized to hold the car or its contents, under the instructions received from their superior, the matter of indemnity not having been even mentioned, and the car was closed and went on its way. The point from which it was shipped, however, is known, and the railroad agent may be asked to explain.

Jas. Gray Badly Hurt.

W. P. Gray received word last Friday morning that his brother, Jas. Gray, had been badly hurt the Wednesday evening before, the unwelcome news being received from their brother-in-law, John J. Jansen, of Bessemer. Mrs. Thos. Gray immediately made preparations to go to the bedside of her son, leaving here for Bessemer Saturday morning. The following particulars of the accident are taken from the Hurley Miner: "Jas. Gray, a brakeman on an ore train in charge of Conductor Gearhart, on the Central between here and Mellen, was perhaps fatally injured Wednesday night, being thrown from the top of a car. Gray was standing on the front car next to the tender, when the coupling pin broke and the engine became detached from the train, causing the air brakes to become set, suddenly stopping the train. Gray was thrown to the track in front of the train, where he was found in an unconscious condition with his head badly cut and his arm broken. He was taken to the Bessemer hospital." He is now doing well and will be brought to this city in a few days.

Reception Largely Attended.

One of the largest and most elaborate private receptions ever attended in Stevens Point, was that at the home of Dr. F. A. Southwick, last Friday afternoon and evening. It was given by Dr. and Mrs. Southwick, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Simonds, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Campbell and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Maxfield. During the afternoon the ladies received fully 250 of their lady friends, and in the evening from 9 to 10 o'clock, another large number were in attendance, including the public and Normal teachers and the members of the Board of Education.

The interior was handsomely decorated with chrysanthemums and palms and refreshments were served in two rooms, ice cream in one and coffee and wafers in the other. The latter room was decorated in pink and the first was an agreeable and artistic blending in yellow. Miss Frances Cather and Frank C. Bailey rendered a number of instrumental duets during the time.

Held up on the Highway.

One of the girls employed at the Plover Paper Co. mill was met by a man near where the Green Bay track crosses the road, last Thursday evening, and from the questions asked, she believes he would have robbed her had not two men who work at the mill been a short distance away. She claims to know the fellow, and has since learned that he saw Mr. Day with the money to pay off the employees. The next evening another girl was stopped at about the same place by a man, who attempted to choke her, but was scared away by two girl companions. It was probably the same fellow.

ARE CALLED HENCE.

CHAS. H. HANEY.

For the second time within two months the Angel of Death has visited the household of Ed. L. Haney, their younger son and brother, Chas. H., answering the summons last Monday morning. It will be remembered that the family returned here from Crandall, Texas, some four weeks ago, every member being more or less sick with malaria fever, and although Charley was suffering more severely than any of the others, still it was believed he would recover in due time. Such was not to be, however, and after a three month's tussle with the deadly fever, his spirit passed to the other shore a few minutes after 9 A. M. Monday. Charley was eleven years old the 30th of last April and his birthplace was Clayton, Dubuque county, Iowa. Eight years ago his parents removed to this city and the boy had resided here ever since, except the time spent in Texas. He will be remembered by all his schoolmates as an active and jovial companion in all their sports, and when leaving here was a picture of health. His older brother, George, was buried six weeks ago last Sunday. Besides the deeply afflicted parents, he leaves one brother, John, and four sisters, Mrs. Axtell, Edith, Agnes and Susana Haney. Funeral services were held at the house, 622 Dixon street, at 2 o'clock this afternoon, Rev. L. G. Carr officiating with interment in the Union cemetery.

DAVID COGGSWELL.

A general breaking down of the system due to old age was the direct cause of David Coggswell's death, which occurred at the home of his only daughter, Mrs. John Mason, 718 Dixon street, at fifteen minutes to one o'clock, Saturday afternoon. The old gentleman was born in Vermont 79 years ago the 20th of last October and for twenty years after coming west he was an honored and respected resident of Sheboygan Falls, Wis., where he owned a blacksmith shop. Closing out his business there in the spring of '92, Mr. Coggswell spent the following two years with his son, Frank, at Sioux Falls, S. Dak. Since last February he has made his home with Mrs. Mason, who did everything possible for the comfort of her aged parent. Besides the son and daughter above mentioned, the deceased leaves one brother, Allen Coggswell, of Galesburg, Mich. Another brother, Edwin, died at Saginaw, Mich., last Thursday. Rev. L. G. Carr conducted funeral services at the house yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, the remains being laid at rest in the Episcopal cemetery.

Saturated With Kerosene.

Some miserable miscreant entered the tailoring establishment of Rasmus Hansen, last Saturday night, and unrolling a bolt of cloth, saturated several yards of it with kerosene. The same fluid was also poured over several other pieces, and then the end of the first one was dropped from a table to the floor and set on fire. After burning a little while the fire went out, and but about two yards of cloth were destroyed. The incendiary entered the building by forcing out the screws that held the lock on the back door. A boy in the employ of Mr. Hansen was the first to make the discovery, at about 10 o'clock on Sunday.

A Valuable Work.

The Commemorative Biographical Record of the Upper Wisconsin, including the counties of Waupaca, Portage, Wood, Marathon, Lincoln, Oneida, Vilas, Langlade and Shawano, is now being delivered to subscribers, and is a fine work, printed in plain, clear type, on firstclass paper, handsomely illustrated with faces of prominent men, and bound in a substantial manner. The book contains over 1,100 pages, and biographical sketches of scores of citizens of Portage county are embraced within its covers. The first picture is that of Gov. Upham, and next comes Hon. Geo. W. Cate, of this city. W. L. Arnott and A. F. Lombard, of Stockton, and Jerome Nelson and J. J. Nelson, of Amherst, are also given. J. H. Beers & Co., of Chicago, are the publishers of this work, and it appears to be as correct in all respects as it is complete, neat and attractive, and is worthy a place in any home or public library.

A Good Showing.

H. F. Whitcomb and Howard Morris, receivers for both systems of the Wisconsin Central, have filed their report from the time they were appointed, Sept. 27th, 1893, to June 30th, 1895. The earnings of both systems for the year ending June 30, 1895, were \$4,090,543.39, and for the entire period up to that date \$7,140,489. The operating expenses for the whole system amounted to \$2,787,428.27 for the year, and \$4,829,660.90 from the beginning of the receivership until June 30 last. Consequently the net earnings were \$1,303,115.12 for the year and \$2,310,819.10 for the whole period. The report shows the property to be in a very promising condition. The report details the improvements made during the receivership. The property was in bad condition when the receivers took hold, and many bridges had to be repaired and tracks relaid. The report says that the property is bound soon to become a paying investment.

NORMAL SCHOOL NOTES.

What Our Enterprising Correspondent has Learned for the Gazette's Busy Readers.

The Normal Pointer is the paper you want.

The students are in all readiness for the proper amount of turkey.

Visitors on Tuesday: Fred Olin and Miss McMurray, both of this city.

J. M. Salter, of Chippewa Falls, has withdrawn to teach near that city.

Advertise in the Normal Pointer if you wish to draw the Normal trade.

Father Duren, of Phillips, favored the school with an address Wednesday noon.

Martha Hendricksen has withdrawn on account of sickness in her home circle.

A class in professional reviews, to recite at 8 o'clock, was organized Thursday morning.

H. S. Perry has just returned from his home, Merrill, at which place he attended the funeral of his sister, Lulu B.

Students who have entered this week are John Mathe, Almond; Nelle Padden, Buena Vista, and Caroline Olsen, Rice Lake.

The hot water heating system was unable to perform its work, Monday, on account of an insufficient supply of water, caused by a break in the water mains.

Jos. Miller is now at Grand Rapids, coaching the foot ball team of that place in preparation for a game to be played Thanksgiving day with the Tomah High School.

Miss Stewart, who has charge of the grammar department, is unable to attend her work this week on account of a severe cold. During her absence Jay S. Hamilton is overseeing that room.

On account of sickness, Miss Linton has been unable to be present this week. The music classes under her supervision have been reciting to Miss Ball, while Prof. Collins has been taking charge of the chorus practice.

Pres. Salisbury, of the Whitewater Normal, addressed the school, last Wednesday morning, bringing forth the thought that it was the independent who succeeded. He compared the dependent to the cipher, while the independent he spoke of as the significant number. Which are you, a significant number or a cipher?

At a meeting of the Press Association, last week, the following officers were elected to act for the present year: President, Allan Pray; Secretary, Alice King; treasurer, Walter Cate. Editorial staff as follows: Editor in chief, Jay S. Hamilton; literary editor, Marguerite Ashmun; local editor, John Clements; athletic editor, Leslie Everts; exchange editor, Margaret Jones. Board of managers: Chairman, H. L. Gardner; 1st assistant, Florence Pray; 2d assistant, Ezra Priest.

When to Get Your Mail.

Postmaster Finch announces that the postoffice will be open from 8:30 to 10:00 a. m. and 5:00 to 5:30 p. m., tomorrow. Carriers' windows will be open during these hours. There will be one business delivery, only, in the morning, but there will be no collection from the street mailing boxes during the day.

Mr. Eben Explains.

EDITOR GAZETTE—DEAR SIR:—Having noticed a statement in THE GAZETTE of last week in regard to a claim against the county that I had withdrawn, I would like to say a few words in explanation of the same. Instead of being for \$400, it was for only about \$300, and covered a period of nearly three years, and the reason such bills had not been presented in former years was because there was then no law providing for the reimbursement of such expenses. At the session of the legislature in 1891, an act was passed providing for the allowance by county boards of the traveling expenses of county superintendents, actually incurred in attending to their duties as such, not to exceed \$200 a year. Our county board had considered that it was optional with them whether or not to allow these expenses under the law, and so had never allowed me any of those expenses up to the time of the meeting of the board two years ago. At that time it was a fact that the county boards in nearly all of the counties of the state were allowing those expenses, and in a large proportion of them the full limit of \$200 a year was granted. I accordingly asked our Board for an allowance at that time equal to about one-half of the limit that boards might allow under the said law. The board disallowed the claim because they considered they had power under the act to grant or withhold the allowance at pleasure. Some of the oldest attorneys in Stevens Point, after examining the law and authorities, gave it as their opinion at that time that the law was not optional with boards, and that if the bills for those expenses were correct, it was the duty of boards to allow them, and I was advised to get a decision from the courts as to the construction of the law in question. I accordingly took an appeal.

Up to the present time the county had been put to no cost in the matter,

and when I learned that the district attorney had asked the county board for an allowance to contest the law, I concluded to discontinue the proceedings, as I did not desire that the county should be put to any expense in the matter. I had also concluded that I did not want the allowance anyway, unless the board had felt free to grant it voluntarily. For those reasons I have withdrawn the claim.

Respectfully,

ANDREW P. EBN.

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WE MOVE . . .

On Dec. 1st, our entire stock, consisting of Wall Paper, Paints, Oils, &c., into our 403 Main St. store. In order to do this at this time of year, we must reduce our stock of WALL PAPER, PAINTS, OILS, &c.

Therefore we shall offer you bargains for the balance of this month. While in the store look over our elegant line of Mouldings and enquire our prices on Frames.

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Respectfully,
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Closing Out Sale! —

On account of the death of Mr. E. Julius Jentsch, we desire to retire from business, and therefore we want to close out at any reasonable price our entire, well assorted stock of

**Dry Goods, Notions, Dress Goods,
Clothing, Shoes and Boots, Hats and Caps.**

The sale commences today and will be continued until the last piece is sold. We are also ready to sell our stock in bulk, with or without the two-story frame store building, to one party. This is a good chance for some one who wants to establish himself in this business.

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WEDNESDAY, NOV. 27, 1895.

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A house in firstclass condition, and two lots, for sale. Call at 111 Jefferson street.

In 10 days Taylor Bros. will display their large stock of holiday goods. Do not fail to see it.

The South Side Lumber Co. sell the celebrated Oshkosh sash, doors, blinds and mouldings.

Mrs. Peter Grover, of Amherst, will spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Atwell.

Good house for rent, at corner of Church and Ellis streets. Enquire at 418 Main street or this office.

Miss Anna Schmidt, of Merrill, visited her sisters, Mrs. V. Betlach and Mrs. C. H. Gothia, over Sunday.

Everybody goes to F. B. Merriam's shoe store, 109 Strong's avenue, for shoes, as styles and prices are right. Call and see.

Jas. O. Raymond and E. J. Dierks spent a few hours at Green Bay, on Saturday, where they went on legal business.

We carry in stock the best two dollar and three dollar men's shoe on the market. F. B. Merriam's shoe store, 109 Strong's avenue.

The Hagemeyer Brewing Co.'s "Favorite" beer is put up in pints and quarts. Guaranteed pure and unadulterated. Telephone 64.

R. A. Cook books your order for coal of any kind or size, delivered at any and all times of the season of 1895 and 1896, at \$6.50 per ton, cash.

Allan D. Conover, of Madison, was in the city on Friday last and presented proposed plans for a new sheriff's residence and jail to the county board.

Conductor Chas. Murray is again able to be out, his many friends will be pleased to know, after being confined to his home for four weeks with typhoid fever.

Buyers of flour can save 75 cents per barrel by purchasing the celebrated Rosebud, manufactured by the Jackson Milling Co., instead of buying flour made elsewhere.

A full line of lumber of all kinds, as well as timber, lath, shingles, etc., can be found at the North Side Lumber Co. yard. They are making a specialty of the retail trade.

Chet. Gardiner, one of the Central's best firemen, has been laying off for a few days, nursing a troublesome foot, which he severely burned while on a hunting trip up north.

A complete assortment of shoes have just been added by Geo. J. Leonard, the Clark street grocer. Give him a call before buying and he will satisfy you as to price and quality.

When in the market for hardwood flooring, go to the South Side Lumber Co., who are agents for the celebrated C. J. L. Meyers' I. X. L. maple flooring; also all other kinds of hardwood flooring in stock.

The Wisconsin Central will sell Homeseekers Excursion tickets, Nov. 27th and Dec. 11th, to points west and south, at one fare, plus \$2.00, for the round trip. For full information call on or address N. F. Phillips, agent.

You Notice that We Always Have Something Interesting to Say!

That's the way of this store. Always something new or something extra cheap. We think you are as anxious to learn of one as the other. Store news with us is never a long-drawn-out tale or trash that you don't want. Read the news to-day:

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Andrae & Shaffer Co.

NEWSPAPER ARCHIVE

Big cut on fancy work and lunch baskets, at the Bazaar.

Official council proceedings on the second page of this issue.

Taylor Bros.' "Eczema Salve" cures all skin diseases. Try it.

Rev. Requa and family will move into the new parsonage this week.

For No. 1 baled hay, the best in the land, call upon Starks & Cops.

Mrs. N. Church, of this city, visited friends at Bay View, last week.

The best preparation for chapped hands and face is Taylor Bros.' cream jelly.

Two apprentice girls wanted to learn dress making, at 422 Church street.

Call for the Hagemeyer Brewing Co.'s beer. Sold by all firstclass dealers.

Geo. G. Knoller of Dancy, is in the city, having a case before the circuit court.

Wanted, two active men. Hard work—good pay. Address "A," care THE GAZETTE.

Arthur Week is filling A. J. Kujawa's position at the First National bank, this week.

Special sale of juvenile books, Friday and Saturday, at the Bazaar, 403 Main street.

Taylor Bros. would call your attention to their large stock of pocket books and purses.

When wanting wall paper, paints, oils or brushes, call upon Ira L. Eldredge, 812 Ellis street.

C. V. McMillan, of Fond du Lac, spent Saturday in the city, leaving on Friday evening.

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Horse for sale cheap. Enquire of A. F. Wyatt.

Before buying your shoes, call on Geo. J. Leonard Clark street.

Taylor Bros. have recently added glass and putty to their stock.

Children's story books, from 1c to \$1.00. Sale Friday and Saturday at the Bazaar.

Buy a can of "Milk" baking powder at Dock's, 110 Strong's avenue.

To Chas. Conery, now a resident of New York state, we are indebted for late copies of the World.

The river became frozen over at this point last Thursday, Nov. 21st, the latest in a number of years.

Why pay seven dollars for coal when you can buy the best in the market at R. A. Cook's for \$6.50 per ton, cash?

Edwin Neuman left for Oshkosh, yesterday, to attend a wedding of an intimate friend and to act in the capacity of best man.

Rev. R. H. Weller arrived home from Jacksonville, Fla., last Thursday evening, where he was called by the death of a brother.

Mrs. L. R. Lamb's Musical Club will meet at the residence of Mrs. Corcoran, on Brawley street, next Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

The ladies of the M. E. church will have a sale and chicken pie supper in the parlors of the church, Dec. 5th. All are cordially invited.

Bear in mind that the Associated Charities will hold a parlor meeting at the home of Mrs. Geraldine Clark, next Monday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Never in the history of our city have we been able to show the people of this city such valuable footwear as at F. B. Merriam's shoe store, 109 Strong's avenue.

Mrs. Fred. Sackett has been quite sick for the past week, her illness being caused by erysipelas.

Miss Martha Loughlin, of Custer, is teaching a six month's term of school at Butternut, Ashland county.

A. G. Green, at his meat market, pays the highest cash price for hides and pelts. Call and see him before you sell.

Frank Tilton, the venerable editor of the Green Bay Advocate, was a fraternal caller at this office, last Friday.

Eugene Tack, after being confined to his home for several days, is again on duty at the C. Krems & Bro. hardware store.

Miss Minta Wakley will spend a short time with Mrs. Fenton at Neenah, after which she will visit relatives at Waupun.

Mr. and Mrs. John McCarthy, after spending three weeks among relatives in Waupaca county, returned to the city on Monday.

Union Thanksgiving services in which the Presbyterians, Methodists and Baptists of this city unite, will be held at the Baptist church at 10:30 tomorrow. Rev. E. W. Bequa will preach the sermon.

W. H. Carey, city marshal of Centralia, spent part of Friday afternoon in this city, coming up to transact business and if necessary carry home the dead and wounded from the (football) field of honor.

"Milk" baking powder, only 25 cents a pound, at J. G. Dock's grocery store on Strong's avenue. This baking powder is fully guaranteed, and if not found satisfactory, money will be cheerfully refunded.

Dr. Norton was one of the witnesses in the Cotesworth case, last week, and wishes THE GAZETTE to state that he was ready to appear as agreed upon, which he did, and no one refused to call him when notified, as verbally reported.

Not wishing to suffer ignominious defeat at the hands of their heavier opponents, a foot ball eleven representing the First ward school refused to play the Normal Stars.

The ladies of the Baptist church will have a sale and chicken pie supper, in Bedford's vacant store building, South Side, Tuesday afternoon and evening, Dec. 3d, 1895.

Jas. McCorkindale is again in the employ of the Wisconsin River Paper Co., having charge of their finishing room. Mr. McCorkindale spent last summer in a mill at Eau Claire.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Dillenback left for Albert Lea, Minn., Monday morning, where they will organize another home talent company for the purpose of presenting the Union Scout.

Ernest Van Order and brother, Myron, of Hull, Louis Littd and Wm. Nicholson, city, and Miss Philomine Shepreau, of Linwood, enrolled as students at the Business College this week.

I will sell my residence on Clark street on the monthly plan, with a small cash payment, 6 per cent. interest, principal and interest decreasing monthly. Call and see me. N. F. Phillips.

Miss Claudie Booth had the misfortune to run a needle in her heel, last Monday evening. It broke off after it had entered nearly an inch, and had to be extricated by Dr. Southwick.

There will be a sale of fancy articles next Wednesday, Dec. 4th, beginning at 2 o'clock, at Miss Tack's building on Main street. Proceeds will go for the benefit of the kindergarten connected with St. Stephen's school.

A copy of the Gas Belt News, a new paper just started at Alexandria, Ind., was received this morning. It is a thorough boomer, and after scanning its columns one cannot but agree that Alexandria is destined to be a great city. Geo. W. Boyce and E. R. Week are located there.

G. C. Caird, Supt. of the Montello Granite Works, was an over-Sunday visitor to this city. Mr. Caird's company did an immense business this season in the line of crushed granite for paving, keeping four crushers in operation continually, but nevertheless were able to fill but a small part of their orders.

Tomorrow evening's Thanksgiving party at Foresters Hall promises to be the event of the season. Committees on arrangements and refreshments have been actively at work for the past week or two, while the floor managers and reception committee will be on hand early tomorrow night to welcome the large crowd expected.

Mrs. Wm. Moeschler returned from Minneapolis on Monday.

Miss May Fiths, of Milwaukee, is visiting with Miss Nora Mechan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Lamoreux, of Milwaukee, spent Sunday in the city.

Why buy stale crackers when you can get them fresh made every day, at Bennett's bakery.

The opportunity has arrived at last. E. Bonnett & Son, who built the Stevens Point Normal, are erecting a large school house at Palmyra.

When wanting watch and clock repairing, as well as any work in the jewelry line, call upon J. Iverson.

Miss Julia Murphy has been quite ill for several days at the home of Mrs. Corcoran, on Brawley street.

C. F. Martin and John O'Keefe left this afternoon for Appleton, to spend Thanksgiving with the former's sister, Mrs. G. W. Putney.

A teachers' meeting will be held at Plover, next Saturday, Nov. 30th, to which every district school teacher in Portage county is invited to attend.

It has been discovered that F. B. Merriam, 109 Strong's avenue, carries an extra fine line of ladies, gents, and misses and children shoes. Call and see him.

Gustav Borth, of Eau Pleine, was a pleasant caller yesterday. Mr. Borth has served as chairman and clerk of his town, but has retired from politics for the time being at least.

Ernest Junchen, who had one of his eyes badly injured at the Central shops, the first of last week, by being struck with a wrench, had the eye removed this afternoon by the Drs. von Neupert.

Those who accompanied the Grand Rapids football team to this city, Saturday, were C. Edmond La Vigne, of the Reporter, Edward J. Whitney, Eugene Miller, John Arpin, Harry Gardner, Oscar Uehling and Frank Ford.

The Passion Play, which will be presented by Prof. Grieb, at St. Stephen's church, next Friday evening, promises to call forth a large audience. The sale of seats is very satisfactory thus far, and the Prof. promises to instruct and delight all who attend. Admission only 25 cents.